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THE WEATHER

LOUISIANA: Partly cloudy and mild Sunday and Monday; gentle to moderate southerly winds on the coast except fresh to occasionally strong winds from Lake Charles westward.
ARKANSAS: Sunday partly cloudy and continued mild. Monday partly cloudy to cloudy with scattered rains and cooler in the northwest portion late in the day.
MONROE: Maximum 69.4, minimum 43.

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116 DEAD IN HOTEL FIRE

PARALYZING COAL STRIKE ENDED BY LEWIS

Yields As Action By President And High Court Looms

Sudden End Of Walkout Brings Gasp Of Relief From Crippled Nation; Freight, Express And Mail Embargoes Cancelled

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—(AP)—John L. Lewis ended the soft coal strike today, surrendering in the face of action by the supreme court and the president of the United States.

He ordered the 400,000 miners back to work immediately under the wages and other terms of the government contract and made a bid for negotiations toward a new pact.

The sudden end of the 17-day strike brought a gasp of relief from a crippled nation. The freight and express embargoes, the curtailment of passenger service on coal-burning trains, and the parcel post restrictions were removed immediately.

The brownout restrictions that had dimmed stores and theaters, reduced street lighting and otherwise cut non-residential use of electric power in 21 eastern states and the District of Columbia were lifted. More stringent rules, however, remained in effect in a few communities where utility coal supplies had fallen to low levels.

President Truman, one hour after Lewis acted, cancelled the broadcast he had planned for tomorrow night but issued no comment.

With the theatrics he loves, Lewis announced the capitulation to a hurriedly-called news conference at 2 p. m. (Eastern Standard Time). Sonorously, with Shakespearean references, he read a notice to the miners telling them all to go back to work immediately—until midnight, March 31, he stipulated. But developments between now and then could make that deadline meaningless.

Lewis prefaced what he had to say by announcing he would read his letter to the miners himself so reporters might know "that 'tis mine own, made on this day, and in good faith."

"Questions as to motive," he said, "will be pure speculation. Some philosopher has said anyhow that the pursuit of motives is the most elusive in the world."

But two facts were plain:

1. The president was at work on his broadcast, and all indications were that it was to have been an ap-

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DRAINAGE TAX GIVEN APPROVAL

Chamber Of Commerce Directors Urge Half-Mill Levy By Parish

Unqualified endorsement of the proposed one-half-mile drainage maintenance tax in Ouachita was announced yesterday by the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce. The Board also commended the parish police jury for its "excellent management and direction of this essential project."

The parish drainage program was the main topic discussed at the semi-monthly meeting of the directors Friday and was presented by L. Underwood Fourmy, member of the police jury and chairman of the committee's flood control and drainage committee. He said the proposed work, including the digging of canals, would cost a half-million dollars. The police jury, he explained, has appropriated $300,000 for the purpose and the state department of public works has allocated $200,000 with the provision that property owners of the parish vote the half-mill maintenance tax. The miles of drainage canals would "slit in" and become clogged with vegetation within two or three years, Mr. Fourmey pointed out, unless they were regularly cleaned out.

Chamber Board meeting was devoted largely to a discussion of the Ouachita Parish Drainage Program, directed by L. U. Fourmey, chairman of the Chamber's Flood Control and Drainage Committee. Fourmy explained that this program, including the digging of all drainage canals, would cost $500,000, and that the Police Jury had appropriated $300,000 of its surplus funds for this work, which would be matched with $200,000 by the Louisiana Department of Public Works, provided that the Parish voted a one-half mill maintenance tax. Fourmy explained that the miles of drainage canals would

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Jes' Ramblin'

R. W. Germany, ever ready for a joke on the other fellow, and sometimes on himself, has together with Mrs. Germany, sent abroad the following announcement:

"Fairview War Price & Rationing Board No. 1504 will have its first, last and only opening on Wednesday, December 11, 1946.

As one who is probably eligible for rations to be issued at 6:30 p. m. on that date, your presence is urgently requested.

Your first prerequisite for eligibility is that you shall have served for a reasonable space of time, (say 30 days), as a paid employee of the Ouachita Parish War Price and Rationing Board No. 5328, and still retain a modicum of sanity.

Too, much education would disqualify you, and any very extended experience would ruin you, so neither is required.

Upon arrival, you will be presented with a blank form R-XOPA, which you will immediately fill out, without bawling for assistance from any other person present.

All questions thereon must be answered with as much intelligence as is available, and turned in for reference to the Board.

If application is satisfactory, you will be entitled to a seat at the table for guests, but if only partially so, you will have to eat at the second table, the left overs from the first, and if you fall down completely, you will probably be required to wash the dishes, and sweep the dining-room and kitchen.

Please do not disregard this sumons, as it will be necessary for you to refer your case to enforcement division if it is ignored.

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Herb Dickard declares that never in his experiences has he been accorded so much information from other engineers how to proceed with the foundation of Monroe's newest downtown structure, North Second street

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Victim Of Fire Carried From The Winecoff Hotel



Firemen and rescue workers carry the body of a victim from the lobby of the Winecoff Hotel in Atlanta, Ga., during the fire that took at least 116 lives. (AP Photo.)

REBUILT DOLL DIFFUSES JOY

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The Reclaimed Doll

I once was a dollie with curly hair,
Pretty blue eyes and face so fair;
I was hugged and squeezed and
cuddled tight,
By a little girl both day and night.

The years went by and the little girl
died,
I was forgotten and cast aside;
My hair was matted, my clothes
were torn,
One leg was lost, one arm was
gone.

And then I was sent to the toy shop
store,
Cast in a box with fifty more;
While scattered around in other kegs,
Were many bodies, arms and legs.

One day I was taken with utmost care,
My face was washed, they combed
my hair;
My head was removed; it was painted
too,

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Girl Rescued From Burning Hotel



An unidentified girl is helped from the burning Winecoff Hotel in Atlanta, Ga., by firemen and rescue workers as the building was swept by flames that took at least 116 lives. (AP Photo.)

STILL PROPOSE NO-STRIKE LAWS

Members Of Congress Insist New Legislation Still Needed

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7—(AP)—Members of congress hailed the ending of the soft coal strike today, but some insisted that new labor legislation still is needed.

Typical of the comments:

Senator Edwin C. Johnson (D-Colo.)—"thank God, and I mean it with all due reverence."

Senator Lucas (D-Ill.):—"as one United States senator, I am happy that Mr. Lewis has seen fit to capitulate."

Senator Hickenlooper (R-Iowa):—"I am glad the miners are going back. That meets the thing of immediate importance—the production of coal. But other vital issues must be met and settled—the threat of recurring situations hanging over the head of the American public. That issue and its solution must be one of the first problems of the new congress. Also

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LIVESTOCK TO FLY

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 7.—(AP)—A plane load of blooded livestock will take off here Monday for Managua, Nicaragua, for delivery to I. J. Riorda. The livestock, shipped by Oscar H. Wilden, New Orleans dealer, include six cows, two horses and two pigs.

U. N. NEAR PACT ON ARMS SLASH

Studies All-Important Aspects Of Inspection And Control

LAKE SUCCESS, N. Y., Dec. 7.—(AP)—The United Nations, nearing agreement on an arms slashing program designed eventually to abolish war forever, today moved into the final phase covering the all-important aspects of inspections and control.

The last stumbling block was a Soviet proposal for setting up separate commissions for control of arms reduction and the atomic bomb within the framework of the security council.

Russian willingness to keep any checkup machinery outside the range of the controversial veto partly cleared the way for agreement, but it appeared that there might be difficulties over the specific Russian proposal for two separate control commissions—one for atomic and one for other weapons.

The United States was said to feel that such a provision might tie the hands of the council and conflict with the U. S. atomic control plan which would place inspection and control under an international atomic development authority.

Optimism over the whole arms question was heightened with unanimous approval yesterday in a po-

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WANTS CHECKUP OF SOLDIER BLACK MARKET OPERATIONS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—(AP)—A suggestion that the bank accounts and tax returns of American army officers and men who served in Germany a year ago be checked for black market profits has been made to the House military committee by one of its ace investigators, it was learned today.

The suggestion was contained in a report on a study of occupation problems in Europe during the last few months. The report noted:

1. Lack of cooperation between American military officials and UNRRA;

2. "Promiscuousness" between American soldiers and German women;

3. Retention of inefficient or undesirable officers;" and

4. Close social connections between American officers and families of former high-ranking Nazis.

The 40-page report has not been approved by the committee but has been printed and submitted to the members for study.

It identifies the investigator as a member of the committee's staff formerly connected with the F. B. I. and the Office of Strategic Services, but does not disclose his name.

The report is separate from that made to the Senate war investigating committee by Committee Counsel George Meader. It makes no reference to what Meader called unsatisfactory performances by Negro soldiers.

The House report quotes the army as having commended UNRRA for

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100 Others Hurt; Scores Leap To Death On Paving

Most Frightful Hotel Blaze In American History Roars Through 15-Story Building In Atlanta, Ga.; Inferno Spreads Rapidly Through Structure Called 'Fire-Resistant'

ATLANTA, Dec. 7.—(AP)—America's most destructive hotel fire early today turned the 15-story Winecoff Hotel into a blazing inferno that brought death to 116 persons and injury to at least 100 more.

While scores of guests trapped in the upper part of the building burned or suffocated, other men, women and children plunged screaming to death on the pavements below in the pre-dawn darkness.

A revised death list compiled late tonight after a check of funeral homes and hospitals which was complicated by the removal of bodies from one mortuary to another set the toll of the disaster at 116.

Of these, 103 had been identified and 13 bodies still were unidentified. It was possible, however, that the total might be changed slightly upon completion of the difficult casualty check.

At daylight the sides of the tall, chimney-like structure were draped with torn bedsheets and blankets, marking in grim silence where victims tried to escape. Eyewitnesses told how panic-stricken guests swung from tenth and twelfth story windows on flimsy, make-shift ropes. A few were rescued, but most fell headlong as flames burned away their supports, or they lost their grip.

Others were seen briefly at flaming windows, shrieking and praying, then disappearing into the terrible inferno.

At one time, a half-dozen broken bodies lay at the intersection of Atlanta's famed Peachtree street and Carnegie way, opposite the theater where the world premier of "Gone With the Wind" was staged.

Some who kept their heads were saved. White-haired Mrs. Banks Whiteman, manager of the hotel cigar counter, pulled the wife and children of her employer, Arthur F. Geele, Je., from the 14th floor to the top-floor apartment of Mrs. Arthur Geele, Sr. There they huddled in a corner until the fire subsided.

Victims Thud To Death Screaming

Firemen Yell 'Don't Throw Them . . . Don't Throw Them' But Woman Hurls Two Children Out And Plunges After

By E. J. (Chick) Hosch

ATLANTA, Dec. 7.—(AP)—Sickening cries of the dying, and terrifying shrieks of those about to die—suddenly and horribly on the pavement below—cut the night like air raid sirens gone mad.

That was the Winecoff Hotel fire early today, where 120 persons lost their lives. It was like an air raid. . . . Like the shrill scream of a falling shell. . . . Then the heart-rending, thick-sounding thud of another body mashing against concrete.

An ambulance driver said: "They're coming down like men bailing out of a burning B-17."

Again and again came those bubbling, wailing shrieks . . . keening the night air . . . then silence . . . death.

Firemen yelled "Don't throw them . . . don't throw them." But from a seventh-floor window, a woman pushed two children—a boy about seven and a girl of four or five—then followed them in a wild plunge. The children fell like rag dolls. On the pavement the little boy twitched a moment. The little girl was still.

I've covered train wrecks, coal mine explosions and other catastrophies, but all of them together pale in comparison to this, the worst hotel fire in the nation's history.

Reaching the scene in less than 45 minutes after the blaze was discovered, I turned the corner to see flames shooting from the fourth, fifth and sixth floors. Dozens of guests, mostly women, lined the ledges above the flames. Improvised ropes of sheets

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The origin of the blaze apparently was buried in the charred wreckage or sealed with the dead. City Fire Marshal Harry Phillips could say only that the flames started in the corridors of the third or fourth floors.

Phillips, accompanied by the fire inspectors, said in every instance the flames had burned into the rooms of the third, fourth and fifth floors, indicating that the origin lay somewhere in the carpeted hallways.

The fire was out of control within a few minutes after it was discovered and before every piece of fire fighting equipment in Atlanta could be summoned, Phillips said.

The marshal said a bellhop testified he had noticed no fumes or smoke when he delivered some soft drinks to a room on the fifth floor. But, when he turned to leave the room he found he was trapped by flames in the doorway.

The mystery that surrounds the origin also gave rise to speculation as to how the fire could spread so rapidly through a fire-resistant building.

The brick, concrete and steel structure had no outside fire-escapes, but was classed as "fire-resistant." Fire Marshal Harry Phillips said it met all safety codes when it was built in 1914.

The fire apparently started on the third or fourth floor, and Mayor William B. Hartsfield said its origin was under investigation.

Would-be rescuers told of seeing many forms silhouetted against boiling flames, praying vainly for succor that could not reach them. Thudding bodies crashed in ghastly procession into the street and into smoke-filled alleyways. There were 285 guests reg-

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BUSINESS READY FOR HIGH GEAR AS COAL STRIKE ENDS

(By Associated Press)

The sudden ending of the soft coal strike Saturday found the nation's business and commerce digging in for what appeared to be one of the worst economic storms in history.

But with the lifting of the fog of confusion and doubt about the immediate future of that part of the economy depending on coal, corporation executives and other business leaders quickly prepared to rescind orders that would have brought the nation almost to a standstill on the eve of the Christmas season.

Plans had been finished to make a further drastic cut in steel mill operations, already down to around 60 percent. Since the strike started 17 days ago more than 1,000,000 tons of ingots have been lost.

Automobile plants were ready for wholesale closings or reduced operations and the furloughing of thousands of workers after producing the largest number of cars and trucks last week since the end of the war.

Literally thousands of retail and department stores throughout the country were expecting a big reduction in Christmas business because freight and express embargoes threatened to cut off merchandise from factories and buyers shunned large items for mailing because of the reduction in weight and size of parcelpost packages.

With the lifting of these restrictions, store managers predicted the normal movement of goods and one of the largest seasons on record despite scattered consumer resistance to high prices in some lines.

Uncounted thousands of workers over the land who went home Friday

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NINE SOON WILL START SENTENCES

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 7.—(AP)—Nine men, convicted of mail fraud and violation of the securities and exchange act in March, 1944, are expected to begin serving their sentences shortly, federal court officials said today.

The case was brought in connection with the sale of alleged worthless lands as oil lands in St. Bernard and Plaquemines parishes.

Assistant United States Attorney Robert Weinstein said in a motion filed today in the court that the United States Supreme Court had refused to review the case, thus exhausting all legal recourse of the defendants.

Those convicted and their sentences are: Millard C. Baker, six years; Nathan Silverman, six years; Isadore Walter Kahn, five years; Benjamin L. Levy, five years; A. M. Safir, five years; William B. Bird, five years; Rubein Johnson, seven years; Emanuel M. Burgin, eight years, and Gabriel Diaz, six years.

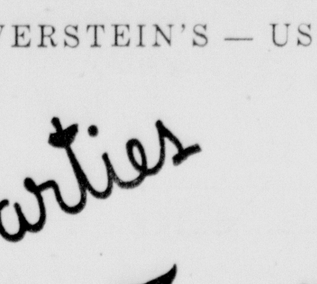
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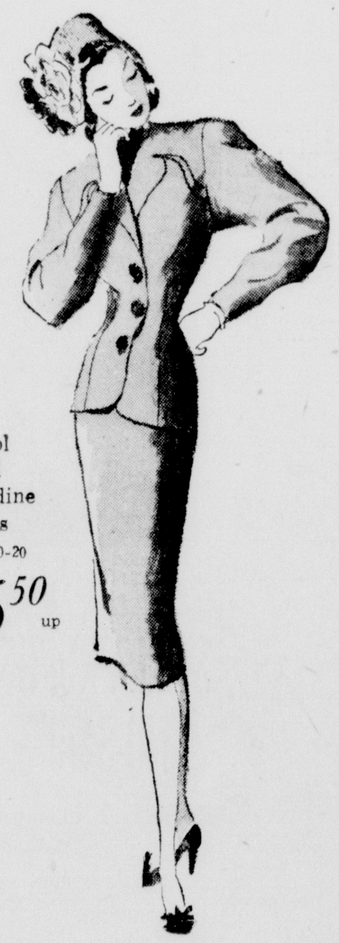
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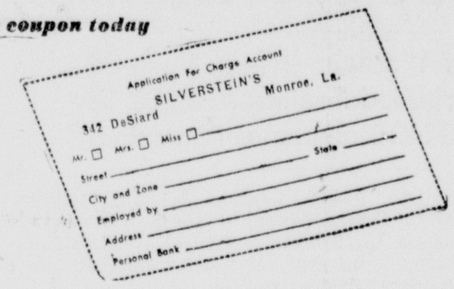


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WOMACK, PIPES GUARD CAPTAINS

Local Men Named To Start Recruiting For National Guard

Lieutenant-Colonel George W. Crousdale has announced that Charles M. Womack and Rip D. Pipes have each been appointed to the rank of captain in the new Louisiana National Guard and authorized to start recruiting for and organizing Companies "I" and "K," 199th Infantry, 39th Division, here in Monroe.

Companies "I" and "K," at full strength, will consist of fourteen officers and 376 enlisted men. As infantry rifle companies, their annual payroll will amount to more than $76,000.00.

Captain Pipes, who will command Company "K," has had fourteen years of service in the National Guard and the army of the United States. He was a member of Battery "F," 204th Coast Artillery when that unit was inducted into federal service for World War II in January, 1941. After training at Camp Hulen, Tex., Camp Hahn, Calif., Ft. Sheridan, Ill., and Camp Davis, N. C., Captain Pipes was sent to the European theater of operations. In 18 months overseas, he saw combat duty in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany. Captain Pipes has four Bronze Battle Stars and holds the Belgium Croix de Guerre. He is employed by the Ouachita Candy Company in Monroe.

Captain Womack, who will command Company "I," has had fourteen years of service in the National Guard and the army of the United States. He was first lieutenant in Battery "G," 204th Coast Artillery, when that unit was inducted into federal service for World War II in January, 1941. After training at Camp Hulen, Tex., Mitchell Field, Long Island, and Camp Butner, N. C., he was sent to the European theater of operations. In 16 months overseas he saw combat duty in France, Germany and Austria. In addition, Captain Womack served as gunnery officer with the merchant marine in the Pacific for six months. Captain Womack has three Bronze Battle Stars and holds the Bronze Star Medal. He is employed by the Central Savings Bank and Trust Company in Monroe.

Training in the new Louisiana National Guard will consist of a weekly two-hour drill and an annual 15-day field training encampment. Privates will receive $157.50 a year and first sergeants $346.50. Extra pay and other benefits are offered by the Louisiana National Guard for two hours a week of your spare time.

Between $50,000,000 and $75,000,000 in army equipment will be brought into Louisiana for use by the National Guard. Members of the these units will fire real guns and live ammunition on the range during both armory and field training. Dummy tanks and wooden guns are ancient history. Uniforms for National Guardsmen, as well as all equipment, are furnished by the federal government. Uniforms are issued to the men on the same basis as the regular army and are identical in design.

For the present, Companies "I" and "K" will hold their weekly drill periods at the National Guard armory, South Grand Street. The exact dates and hours will be announced through this newspaper in the near future.

MUSIC RECITAL AT N. J. C. SCHEDULED

Music students at Northeast Junior College will be presented in recital December 9 at 12:30 noon in the recital room of the Fine Arts building, announces William P. Grant, head of the music department.

The public is extended an invitation to attend the program which has no admission charge.

The following numbers will be given:

"Fluttering Leaves" (Carl Koelling), Dorothy Younse, piano; "My Lady Walks in Loveliness" (Ernest Charles), "Clarina" (Orlando Morgan), John Baskin, tenor; "The Guide-post" (Franz Schubert), "I'll Not Complain" (Robert Schumann), Wray Bowie, tenor; "Waltz in A-flat Major" (Johannes Brahms), James Oswald Henry, Jr., piano; "Romance in E-flat" (Anton Rubinstein), Anita Zeagler, piano; "Prelude in E-flat Minor" (Reginald DeKoven), Beverly Anne Thatcher, piano; "Arabesque in E Major" (Claude Debussy), Marie H. Moore, piano; "The Little" (Claude Debussy), "Prelude No. 1" (George Gershwin), George Miller, piano.

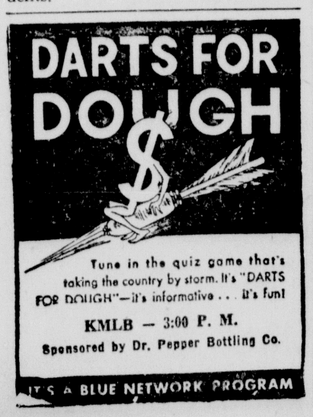
WOMEN VOTERS TO HONOR CHIEF

The Monroe League of Women Voters will honor the state president, Mrs. Martha G. Robinson, with a dinner at the La Casa Tea Room Tuesday night, December 10, at 6 p.m.

All members are expected to be present. Mrs. A. D. Tisdale, Mrs. J. B. Kugler and Mrs. James A. Noe are members of the committee on arrangements.

Mrs. Robinson, of New Orleans, will be guest speaker at the dinner. She is state president of the league and widely known and recognized for her ability.

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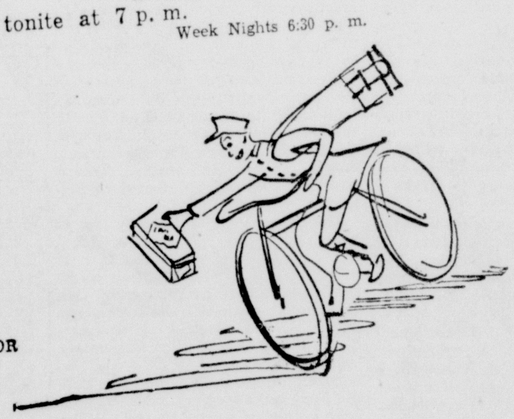
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No one in Monroe should have to die for lack of blood or its derivatives. We have made a good beginning toward this goal by the establishment here of a permanent blood donor center to make blood available for medical use in civilian practice. Two hundred and five pints of blood have been used to date in this parish.

All of us are familiar with the wartime blood donor program to supply the vital plasma which saved the lives of countless combat-wounded American fighting men and many of us have given blood to it. Men have lived because plasma was given to them quickly, even while bullets whined and shells exploded around them. Brooks Stuart, a veteran, states he would not be alive today if he had not received blood on the battlefield.

Wartime research on new uses for human blood and its derivatives has brought great medical advances. Among these is immune serum globulin, the safest and most effective agent for preventing or lessening the severity of measles, the cause of many deaths, particularly among children. Human blood and plasma are being used with great effectiveness in the treatment of those injured or burned.

The American Red Cross, through its local chapters, has volunteered to assist local medical and public health agencies in carrying on this humane project. With farsighted community spirit, Monroe has accepted its responsibilities. The Ouachita Parish Medical Society, the local Public Health Department, and the local Red Cross chapter are cooperating in a civilian blood donor program. Now in addition to plasma already released by the military for civilian use, a steady flow of life saving blood will go through the blood donor center for those needing whole blood transfusions. This blood and plasma will be furnished without charge to any patient.

No one in Monroe should have to die for lack of blood . . . if each one of us does his share, makes his donation. This is truly a challenging opportunity.

WHERE ARE THE INVENTORS?

Stories of marvelous new inventions to be available in the postwar era to make life easier and more beautiful are missed now that they have disappeared and left their predictions unfulfilled. It is hard to reconcile one of the new automobiles, for instance, with predictions released during the war as to the form of the post-war car. To the more cynical some of the new cars look like pre-war models, only not as good.

And those marvelous kitchen gadgets that were to cook meals and do all other kitchen chores by the mere pressing of the right button—where are they? The average housewife has discovered that it is all but impossible to buy a new kitchen sink.

A million other inventions are waiting for the post-war inventors who were to sponsor them. Where are the inventors? To date about the only post-war miracle they have brought forth is a plastic door knob that disintegrates in the hand, to the surprise of guests. A plastic door knob that disintegrates in the hand has its uses, of course—particularly on April 1—but why must inventors stop with this achievement.

PAPER GARMENTS

Be of good cheer, men. There soon will be plenty of shirts. Shorts, too. Not of the materials common in the dear, dead days before the war, when it was necessary to decide only between stripes and plain. But made of paper, believe it or not. It is all a result of the war.

Confronted by the necessity of developing a material for maps which would withstand rain and mud and the rigors of battlefields, the United States Bureau of Standards came through with a paper which was not affected by weather and rough handling. Immersed in mud the maps remained legible, the paper intact. Since the war the bureau has continued its experiments and improved upon the first production to the point where the product now is suitable to be made into garments for human wear.

It is not as durable as fabrics, it is admitted, but it will withstand wear and washing to an extent. And a man who has eaten horsemeat probably will not object to wearing a paper shirt.

RETURN TO FREE ECONOMY

After more than four years, the American economy is again largely on its own, free to prove that its component forces have the resourcefulness and ability to prevent inflation or deflation and reach the goal of sustained prosperity. All remaining wartime controls of wages and salaries, and of prices except as to rice, sugar and rents have been wiped out. Though rent control continues, landlords will be given some slight relief.

In the field of labor relations there has not been a complete return to free collective bargaining. The government is at the moment bargaining with John L. Lewis concerning his latest demand for an increase for the coal miners. The government has the coal mines, seized last spring during another of Lewis' strikes. The owners have refused to surrender to the concessions then granted Lewis by the government.

TRAFFIC DEATHS

If a city of 27,000 people were to be wiped out by some disaster, and every resident killed, the nation would stand aghast. There would be universal mourning, days of prayer for the victims. Yet in the first 10 months of this year 27,000 persons died in traffic accidents and the announcement hardly causes a stir in public concern.

Add to these deaths the hundreds of thousands who have been injured or crippled permanently, and the picture isn't a pretty one. Fatalities increased 30 per cent over the same period last year and approached figures for 1941, one of the worst in history. In spite of constant effort on the part of safety officials and police, citizens are being killed at the rate of nearly 100 a day.



Jimmie Fidler
IN HOLLYWOOD

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 7. — I hear Frank Sinatra, health permitting, will undertake another tour of eastern schools to lecture on tolerance . . . Time out for Ilona Massey, flu victim . . . Bandleader Tommy Dorsey and Pat Dane, now completely reconciled, want to adopt two children . . . Looks like Warner Brothers, after years of aimless conversation, will finally screen their biography of Marilyn Miller in 1947 . . . Dennis Morgan's car has been burglarized for the second time within a year. This time the lock-breakers got away with hard-to-replace clothing.

Pals of Garbo report that she "vants to be alone" just now because she's writing her autobiography . . . Fans should welcome a move by the Johnston office to limit the footage of "trailers" advertising coming attractions . . . Alter-bound: Robert Lindgren and Sonia Tyven, featured dancers with the Ballet Russe . . . Sonja Henie and Stuart Barthelmess have blue-penciled wedding plans—too much difference in their ages . . . On the comeback trail: Silent star Antonio Moreno, assigned an important role in "Captain From Castile" . . . Stand by for a cycle of baseball films in '47.

Kathryn Grayson and Johnny Johnston have set their wedding for next August, when his divorce will be final . . . That new band of Skitch Henderson's will make its debut via a tour of college towns . . . George Raft will take the air as the star of a new once-a-week crime series.

PREVIEW NIGHTS: Pic of the week (and the year): MGM's "The Yearling" (Gregory Peck-Jane Wyman-Claude Jarman, Jr.). One of the three best motion pictures I've ever seen and one that I earnestly advise fans of all ages to see . . . RECOMMENDED: MGM's "Lady In the Lake" (Robert Montgomery-Audrey Totter-Lloyd Nolan). Off-the-beaten track thrill fare, introducing an exciting new technique . . . GOOD: Republic's "Sioux City Sue" (Gene Autry-Lynne Roberts-Sterling Holloway). The No. 1 cowboy of the pre-war screen makes a strong bid to recapture his rating . . . UA's "Abie's Irish Rose" (Joanne Dru-Richard Norris). The perennial stage favorite blossoms satisfactorily for films . . . FAIR: MGS's "The Secret Heart" (Claudette Colbert-Walter Pidgeon-June Allyson-Lionel Barrymore). Proof that it takes more than an all-star cast to make top-flight screen entertainment . . . BEST PERFORMANCE: Claude Jarman, Jr., in "The Yearling."

Some weeks ago an actor named Eddie Rocco petitioned a Los Angeles court for an order which would force the Screen Actors' Guild to vote on the adoption of a "moral code" regulating the off-screen doings of Guild members. Last week the court handed down its decision. The private lives of actors are their own business, decreed "His Honor" and not the responsibility of the Screen Actors' Guild. Certainly the judge's ruling is in strict accord with the fundamentals of American law — and no one who values the principle of individual freedom can quarrel with it. But it seems to me that it is debatable if considered solely from the viewpoint of its practical application. The screen life of any actor who becomes involved in a headlined scandal affects the whole industry to its discredit—just as a swindle charged to a bank president reflects upon bankers in general. It isn't just—but it's unfortunately a fact.

News that Judy Garland has resigned with MGM (it was rumored that she would refuse to do so) is good news. It was that studio which took her as an unknown moppet and built her to top-flight stardom. It was that studio that saw her through the "gangly" stage, instead of dropping her back into oblivion. True, she has been given a few roles that were not perfect, but what star hasn't? Not only would she have been unwise, in my opinion, to have jumped the MGM reservation; she'd have been downright ungrateful.

A publicity dispatch in yesterday's mail stresses the fact that George Tobias, in his 75 screen roles, has portrayed men of 34 different nationalities. Without in the least doubting Tobias's acting ability, I'm not impressed. In a Hollywood which insists on actors, first of all, portraying themselves, it would take a genius to discover any difference between the 34 different characterizations. One accent, one set of mannerisms and one make-up serves for everything from an Italian to a Laplander.

Rudy Vallee, brought up with Down-East ideas about economy, says he's amazed by Hollywood's spendthrift ways. "Imagine, for instance," he points out, "a producer insisting on six secretaries when he has only two knees!"

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BELIEVE IT OR NOT — By Ripley



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ALL ITEMS SELF-EXPLANATORY
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Pitching Horseshoes
By Billy Rose



Billy Rose

It looks like Joe Customer is again going to be the most popular kid in his class. The Department of Commerce predicts the end of almost all shortages by spring. And am I glad! After five years of being pushed around, snarled at and pick-pocketed, it's going to be nice to be catered to again.

If the Department of Commerce is right, the fellows who sell things had better get smart quick. They'd better start making friends now. Here's a few tips on what they'd better do if they want my buck.

Auto Dealers: First, go to confession and square yourself with your Maker. Second, tell your salesmen F. O. B. doesn't mean Fork Over Bankroll. Third, get rid of that new fountain pen which only writes under the table.

Gas Stations: Before I let you fill 'er up, I want to see the whole Notre Dame team swarm over my car. The ends can work on the windshield, one to wash, one to wipe. The quarterback can whiskbroom the seat cushions. Left tackle can load the glove compartment with road maps and right tackle can clean my eyeglasses. The rest should stand at attention and harmonize "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow."

Restaurants: You're very near the top on my spit-in-the-eye list. From here in, when I ask you for roast beef, it'll have to be rare, not extinct. That New England dinner will have to have something in it besides boiled radishes. You'd better stop serving the tired fish who winks at me and says, "If you were smart, you wouldn't." Stop handing me the menu where the best meal is the one that's scratched out. When I ask a passing waiter for the time, I don't want him to bark, "This is not my station." I want my coffee hot. I'm through telling the waiter, "Put the pot under your arm to keep it warm." And when I tip him ten per cent, he'd better not say, "Keep it, sonny. You need it more than I do."

Clothing Stores: I see by the Wall Street Journal you've stashed a lot of stuff away in warehouses, hoping for higher prices. Take my tip and sell this mountain of shoddy quick, or you'll wind up polishing your car with it. You'd better alter the suit to fit me, and not tell me to alter myself to fit the suit. When I buy clothes for a little boy, you're going to have to throw in a pencil box like you used to.

Hotels: I knew you lads back in 1935 when 81 per cen of you were in bankruptcy. In those days, you used to put yourselves out to be nice. Now you put the customer out. I remember when a smart hotel man named Ralph Hitz slipped every guest his home-town paper under the door. You'd better start thinking along these lines again. Little thoughts like that may persuade us to think of you when your top eleven floors are empty. Tell your house dicks to stop inhibiting the patrons. Send the flatfoots out to dig up the permanent residents you chucked out because you could get more loot from transients. Instead of changing the rates every day, go back to changing the sheets.

Butchers: Keep the sawdust on your floors and out of the hamburger. Fire the midgets who've been handling your business under the counter. When you put that roast on the scales, leave it there long enough for the customer to see what it weighs. Better yet, change your name, grow a mustache, and devote your life to charitable works.

Laundries: I'm going to expect my laundry back before I send it out. Your girls are going to have to handle my shirts as it they belonged to Gregory Peck.

Furriers: Well, you muzzlers, how does it feel now that silver fox is off the gold standard?

Movie Theatres: Two features aren't going to be enough. I'm again holding out for a set of dishes. Screeno, Bingo, Bango—better still, Cuffo! Lana Turner on the marquee won't get my dollar. For a dollar she'll have to sit next to me. In the future when the doorman says, "Orchestra seating is now going on in the balcony," I'm going to expect him to smile. Photograph that double line of of customers around the block. It'll be a nice thing to look at when the moose are roaming around the gallery again.

Miami: Don't forget barber shops have sun lamps now. When I make a reservation, you're going to have to stop asking for a co-maker. Get that brick wall away from the window of my ocean-view room. Before I check into your $40-a-day trap, you're going to have to move the decimal point one place to the left.

Night Clubs: Look here, Billy Rose, when you seat a couple at a ringside table, don't let the headwaiter put three rows of tables in front of them. When a guy asks for a glass of whiskey, don't serve him a glass of glass. Tell your waiters one apartment house is enough. Stop telling the public your little show is the greatest thing since kissing. Get wise to yourself, or one of these nights you'll go snow-blind looking at unused tablecloths.

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News BEHIND THE NEWS
By PAUL MALLON

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 7. — A paragraph or two in the news has told how the pro-labor New Deal Senator O'Mahoney went to the White House to urge an annual wage guarantee to cure the strike-made depression. Naturally you may wonder how this forgotten issue could cure a strike, let alone all of them. Behind the proposal, however, is the fact that union strategy has curdled (note Lewis and miners fine).

The unions have led themselves into a situation where, if they win, they will lose. Their greatest weapon, the strike, has become uneconomic. They must have production to live, but they are forcing the country into a strike-made stalemate of production which hurts themselves more than anyone (the little strikes which have tied up the CIO workers in autos, the coal strike which has forced union men out of work in steel and autos, the Hollywood strikes keeping fellow unions out of work, etc.) They are costing each other heavily by overworking their good thing. They have played their good thing to where it is no longer good.

The question for Lewis, for instance, is how long a miner will have to work to gain back what he lost in two strikes in six months—without fines. Lewis has mentioned no just grievance to arouse public support. The contract he broke with government is one he forced on a sympathetic government. He dictated it himself. It is the most favorable contract a miner ever had—or probably ever will get. To get some minor bit more, Lewis has forces out of work union men in major industries causing losses to them they may never make up—but far more important, he has challenged the authority of a federal government itself and its courts, to get a pittance if he wins.

Even so, imagine he wins, and makes government subservient to union leadership or causes a breakdown of court authority. Bipartisan control of government by Republicans and Democrats would never let the unions run the economy of a country. The unions could not do it if they took over government. In the first place they just lost an election. Their political action groups proved inconsequential and evaporated. They are a minority and they have lost the political power with which to frighten politicians. But even philosophically they could not win by control, because you cannot run a country by letting unions have everything they desire, by upping wages twice in a year, or sometimes by upping them at all. A necessarily selfish group of union leaders can no more run a country economically than a group of bankers. You cannot have even an approach to a sound country or sound economics until the government is run by the people to promote an even sense of justice—in the name of common popular justice.

The unions are therefore in a fix. The mistake their leaders made was to let Lewis take the leadership in a case against government itself, under wholly unfavorable circumstances, (a coal strike in midwinter, a pay raise 6 months ago, etc.), and to bring forward their self-destructive strike weapon at a time when they needed production to live and stave off a depression, to promote stability of the economy to protect their former wage increases and an era of cooperation to make their gains firm.

If the union leaders had been wise, for instance, they would have taken hold of legislative union reforms and cooperated with Congress in legislation to correct their worst defects. Then they would have remained somewhat influential in the situation, might have dulled the legislation for their own advantage, helped chase out their own racketeers and Communists—in short, could have ridden with the popular clamor for their own reform. They could have sailed with the wind.

Instead union leaders have foolishly chosen to resist any reform or correction whatsoever by even moving to destroy the authority of government and courts. They completely ignored and refuted the presence of any popular opposition, or opposition in their own ranks from servile union men who have no say, or right to work, and decided to sail straight against the popular wind demanding more wage increases. Indeed the union philosophy propounded by A. F. of L.'s Green last Tuesday and others is that the public and its popular government cannot put any restriction upon unions in any way, but must remain helpless forever. Government, courts and all people must give in to unions in all respects—or the unions will fight them, all of them. No one can have the right to protect himself against a union—not governments, courts or people but the unions must have an uncontrollable right to cause national misery, suffering and death its improvident leaders may choose for government, courts and innocent people. This is hardly a philosophy designed to succeed.

The country is not likely to go along with such an unwise policy, nor is government, or the courts.

That the unions are killing themselves as well as the country by lack of national wisdom in leadership can be plainly demonstrated. If they undermine authority in this government, unquestionably they will get a dictatorship in one form or another. Both the Nazi and Communist dictatorships have relegated unions to the position of useless, meaningless, brotherhoods without any power whatsoever. The last election made it plain no union dictatorship could be imposed in this country. The army and bipartisanship are likely to get our leadership. So by undermining the economy and this form of government, they are undermining the best deal they ever had—or ever can get—and are defeating themselves politically and economically. Their power now is only the privilege to destroy; they cannot win in its chosen way.

These are the unspoken factors behind the O'Mahoney proposal. The union leadership must extricate itself from a suicidal dilemma by adopting some extraneous excuse for settling down to work, and getting out of the calamitous predicament into which its leadership has plunged it and the country short-sightedly.

BY HENRY McLEMORE

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla.—The by-line may fool you a bit if you believe what you read in the newspapers. Undoubtedly, your newspaper reports to you that this column is "By Henry McLemore," but I am living proof that it isn't.

I was supposed to write this column under Henry's name and send it for him. But, sisters and brethren, I'm just not up to doin' that at the moment. Let me tell you about last night. Henry came home after a busy business conference at a football game (he bet on Georgia Tech, by the way) and while we were holding a sale of the few belongings we have left, the 'phone rang. It was Buffalo, N. Y., calling and someone asked Henry why he wasn't there yet—as he was scheduled to speak before a lot of Buffaloes on December 2.

So when Henry realized that he was scheduled to speak in Buffalo some twelve hours hence, it became more or less imperative for us to get him on his way to Buffalo.

I quickly got out the ironing board and pressed his "go-to-grange-meeting" suit, cranked the car, put kerosene in the headlights and started for the station. We happen to live in an odd bit of the country where drawbridges can hold you up. It seems that most of the boats that have been built since 1920 decided to go through the drawbridge all at the same time. So-o, my beloved missed every train he could have gotten to Jacksonville, and old Mother McLemore had to climb into her linen duster and green gauze veil and drive him up to the airport.

I always call myself a "good sport," but if anyone could have heard me cussin' on my 125-mile drive back from the airport, they might have had reason to disagree with me. After all, today is Henry's birthday and I had spent the last few days rushing around trying to get everything that Henry likes to eat. I went so far as to get two whole coconuts and grate them up by hand. My father's cook massacred two of the handsomest hens I've ever seen and was ready to brew them up today; but no, M'sieur McLemore is traipsing around up in that there cold north country. If he runs into Admiral Byrd I hope he gets his autograph for me. There is nothing that I prize any more than I do my autograph book. I have such signatures as Ulysses S. Grant, Commodore Perry, Commodore Mary Pickford and Pfc. Paul Revere.

This has nothing whatsoever to do with this column, but after all, I am not a columnist, a newspaper woman, or a writer of any sort, so I think it's my privilege to fill up space with any little old thing I can think of.

Yesterday, one of the tallest, widest men I've ever seen came to call on me and he introduced himself as Henry's English teacher in high school. I guess the feeling between us was mutual, because he certainly didn't think much of me, and I held myself in until he drove away—and then shouted at him questions I had wanted to ask him, such as: "If you were Henry's English teacher, why didn't you teach him English??? As far as I know, he knows less about English than any human I've ever met!!!!"

I know the man didn't like me, because when I came to the door, all dressed up in a wornout pair of shorts, a shirt with holes in it, and barefooted, he asked if he could speak to the lady of the house. When I told him I was it, he did come in and look around, but he talked about Henry all the time, and never said one admiring word about the fact that I had just put some new polish on my toenails. He was above looking down, and my new toenail polish was the only thing I had to endear to anybody!

Hey, do you know this column is done!! Hot dog! Snake hips! Mammy! Cat's whiskers! Jumpin' jellyfish!

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OUR CHILDREN

SIMPLIFY THINGS A BIT

The people I meet seem to be in a hurry, confused about things in general. They are not sure of what they want, of what they are doing or to where they are heading. "I've so much to do I can't see the end," they say.

Now that's too bad altogether. There is nothing in this life that demands so much of any of us that we cannot see what we are doing or where we are going to get. Life at its best is simple. It rains, we get wet; it blows and we hug our cloaks a bit tighter; we must eat so we must work. About there is where we begin to lose our hold. What work, how much, what is the reward? The end?

Work and its many important implications is the most important part of our social life. Our work must satisfy us, meet some hunger within us and so content our souls; it must be useful and so serve other people so that we feel ourselves part of the great forward moving group of folk.

The simplicity of the idea of useful work is difficult to hold to amid the confusion of this day. The self-seeking workers shout, the self-seeking leaders shout louder, the useful work so needed by society is torn to shreds between them. 'Tis and 'tisn't, fill the air until nobody knows what is what or who is who.

Then the only thing sane people can do is simplify their own lives. Shut out the noise, think over the special bit of work that is one's own and cling to it and to no other until it is complete, until the clamor outside dies down.

Teachers who are so bedevilled by the demands of every articulate person who wants to distinguish himself by shouting out an idea for the social betterment, clergy who are beset by pleas, demands, orders and threats, political leaders who are so deafened by the uproar that they cannot hear their conscience speak, all of us who swing through the turmoil, should stand still and listen until in the inner silence of our souls we can hear the quiet voice of the Spirit say, "Be still and know that I am God. I, I, alone am God." Then, in humility and faith and trust, go forward with the simple task that is ours and let the fate of the world rest where it is safe, in the hands of Infinite Mercy and Goodness.

There is too much peddling of salvation by the lesser kings. Let us who serve go softly on our way and do our simple duty. That way lies strength and peace and a good conscience.

Every parent will be interested in Dr. Patri's helpful leaflet entitled "Some Guiding Principles in Child Training." The number is P-18.

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BIBLE THOUGHTS

Then said one unto Him, Lord, are there few that be saved? And He said unto them, Strive to enter in at the strait gate: for many, I say unto you, will seek to enter in, and shall not be able.—Luke 13:23-24.

Hell is full of good meanings and wishings.

—George Herbert.

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SUNDAY

6:00—News
6:15—Morning Serenade
6:30—News—Sunday Morning Serenade
6:45—Sacred Heart Program
7:00—News—Daily Word—Music
7:15—The Mariners
7:30—Presbyterian Hour
7:45—Presbyterian Hour
8:00—Church of Christ
8:15—Church of Christ
8:30—Religious News Reporter
8:45—Every-Ready Gospel Quartet
9:00—Church of the Air
9:15—Church of the Air
9:30—Voice of Prophecy
9:45—Voice of Prophecy
10:00—News—Wings Over Jordan
10:15—Wings Over Jordan
10:30—Salt Lake City Tabernacle
10:45—Salt Lake City Tabernacle
11:00—St. Mark Episcopal Church
11:15—St. Marks Episcopal Church
11:30—St. Marks Episcopal Church
11:45—St. Marks Episcopal Church
12:00—Lutheran Layman's League
12:15—Lutheran Layman's League
12:30—News—Musical Showcase
12:45—Howard K. Smith
1:00—Weekly News Review
1:15—Weekly News Review
1:30—Stradivari Orchestra
1:45—Stradivari Orchestra
2:00—N. Y. Philharmonic
2:15—Symphony Orchestra
2:30—N. Y. Philharmonic
2:45—Symphony Orchestra
3:00—N. Y. Philharmonic
3:15—Symphony Orchestra
3:30—Hour of Charm
3:45—Hour of Charm
4:00—The Family Hour
4:15—The Family Hour
4:30—Hoagy Carmichael Sings
4:45—Wm. L. Shirer
5:00—The Adventures of Ozzie and Harriet
5:15—The Adventures of Ozzie and Harriet
5:30—Kate Smith Sings
5:45—Kate Smith Sings
6:00—Gene Autry Show
6:15—Gene Autry Show
6:30—Blondie
6:45—Blondie
7:00—The Adventures of Sam Spade
7:15—The Adventures of Sam Spade
7:30—Crime Doctor
7:45—Crime Doctor—N. Calmer
8:00—Hildegarde
8:15—Hildegarde
8:30—The Eddy Bracken Show
8:45—The Eddy Bracken Show
9:00—Take It or Leave It
9:15—Take It or Leave It
9:30—We, the People
9:45—We, the People
10:00—News—Feature Story
10:15—Old-Fashioned Revival Hour
10:30—Old-Time Revival Hour
10:45—Old-Fashioned Revival Hour
11:00—Old-Fashioned Revival Hour
11:15—Trade Winds
11:30—Tommy Tucker's Orchestra
11:45—Tommy Tucker's Orchestra
12:00—News—Midnight Frolics
12:15—Midnight Frolics
12:30—Midnight Frolics
12:45—Midnight Frolics
1:00—News
1:05—Sine

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SUNDAY

7:00—News Summary	ABC
7:15—Tom Glazers' Ballard Box	ABC
7:30—Coffee Concert Time	ABC
8:00—Old-Fashioned Revival Hour	Local
9:00—Message Of Israel	ABC
9:30—Southernaires	ABC
10:00—Fine Arts Quartet	ABC
10:30—News	Local
10:45—Concert Time	Local
11:00—Methodist Church	Local
12:00—Johnny Thompson Show	ABC
12:15—Your Sunday News	Local
12:30—Irving Sings	Local
12:45—Your Favorite Dance Music	Local
12:55—Fact & Fiction	ABC
1:00—Musical Question Box	Local
1:30—Baptist Crusade Program	Local
2:00—Pick The Hits	Local
2:30—Salon Music	Local
3:00—Are These Our Children	ABC
3:30—Green Hornet	ABC
4:00—Darts for Dough	ABC
4:30—Counterspy	ABC
5:00—Sunday Evening Party	ABC
5:30—Teletime	Local
6:00—Drew Pearson	ABC
6:15—Monday Morning Headlines	ABC
6:30—Enoch Light	Local
6:45—Great Moments In Sports	Local
6:55—Weekly Business Review	Local
7:00—Paul Whitman Hour	ABC
7:30—The Clock	ABC
8:00—Walter Winchell	ABC
8:15—Louella Parsons	ABC
8:30—Jimmie Fidler	ABC
8:45—The Policewoman	ABC
9:00—Theatre Guild On The Air	ABC
10:00—Alcoholics Anonymous	Local
10:15—Vera Massey	ABC
10:30—Your Radio Chaplain	Local
10:45—Sammy Kaye Orch.	ABC
11:00—News Summary	ABC
11:05—Ted Weems	ABC
11:30—Jack Fina Orch.	ABC
11:55—News Summary	ABC
12:00—Sine	ABC

THEIR SISTER WAS FIRST

The Wright brothers were the first to fly a heavier-than-air power-driven machine, and the Wright brothers' sister was the first woman to go up in such a machine.

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SUNDAY

6:55—A. P. News	Local
7:00—Rev. Keal	Local
7:15—Organ Recital	NBC
7:30—NBC String Quartet	NBC
8:00—News Summary	NBC
8:15—Story to Order	NBC
8:30—Sermons In Song	Local
8:45—Golden Bells Quartet	Local
9:00—National Radio Pulpit	NBC
9:30—A. P. News	Local
9:35—Drew Pearson Column	Local
9:45—The Singing Evangelist	Local
10:00—Design for Listening	NBC
10:30—News Highlights	NBC
10:45—Melodic Minutes	Local
11:00—St. Matthew's Catholic Church	Local
12:00—America United	NBC
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1:30—Harvest of Stars	NBC
2:00—Lutheran Hour	Local
2:30—Musical Flower Paths	Local
2:45—Special Assignment	Local
3:00—Quiz Kids	NBC
3:30—Talk by Dean Acheson	NBC
4:00—NBC Symphony Orch.	NBC
5:00—House in the Country	Local
5:30—Musical Memories	Local
5:45—Piano Etudes	Local
6:00—Jack Benny Show	NBC
6:30—Fitch Bandwagon	NBC
7:00—Christmas Tapestry	Local
7:30—Diamond Dramas	Local
7:45—Washington Inside Out	Local
7:50—Your Money	Local
7:55—Merely Music	Local
8:00—Ave Maria Hour	NBC
8:30—Pres. Harry S. Truman	NBC
9:00—The Drene Show	Local
9:30—The Voice Of Prophecy	Local
10:00—L. G. Le Tourneau	NBC
11:00—News	

EDWARD HALL IS 2ND LIEUTENANT

Edward I. Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Krepps of Monroe, graduated from the military training school in San Antonio, Tex. Saturday with the rank of second lieutenant.

He is a native of Alexandria and graduated from the Ouachita Parish High School in 1936. He served in the army for eight years. He served as instructor on lake trainers.

He married Miss Elizabeth Head, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Head and they have a son nine months old.

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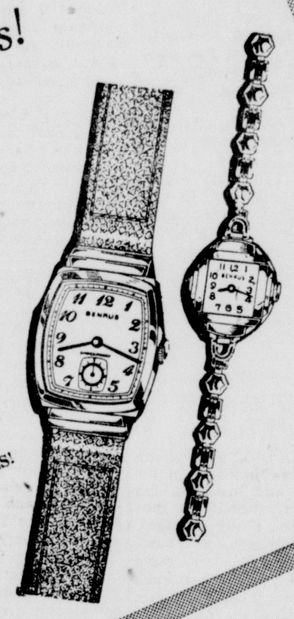
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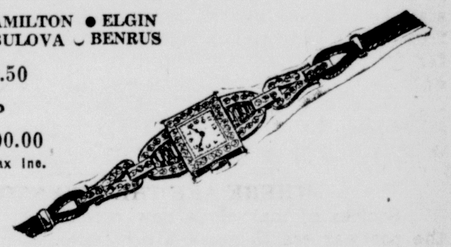
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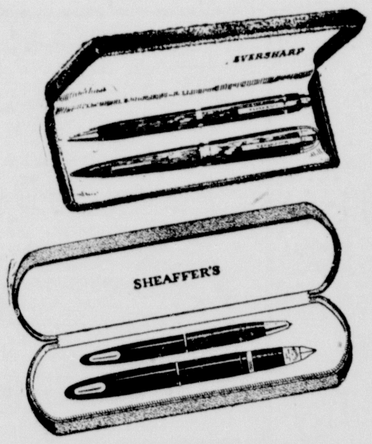
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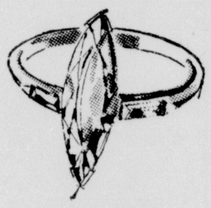
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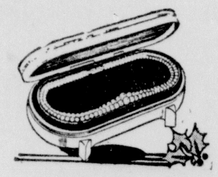
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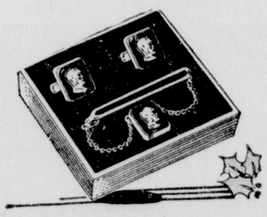
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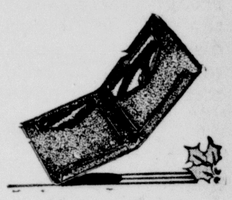
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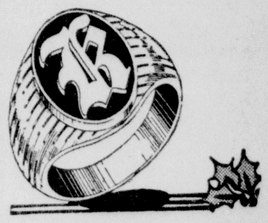
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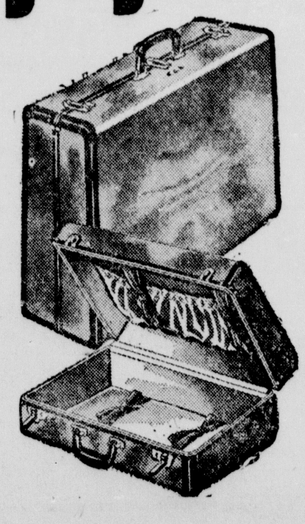


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116 DEAD

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istered at the hotel, which was one of Atlanta's leading hostelries.

Spreading with disastrous rapidity through the southwest side of the building, flames raced up stair-wells and elevator shafts to trap nearly half the guests. The death toll eclipsed Chicago LaSalle Hotel fire of six months ago, when 61 died, and more than trebled the 34 dead in Atlanta's Terminal Hotel fire of May 16, 1938.

The nation's previous record toll in a hotel fire was 71 in the Newhall House holocaust at Milwaukee in 1883.

Among the identified dead was W. F. Winecoff, one of the hotel's builders, who died in his upper-floor apartment. His wife is missing.

E. J. (Chick) Hosch, southern division sports editor of the Associated Press, said he saw many persons leaping to their deaths. One woman threw her young son and daughter to death from the seventh floor, and then followed them, herself.

"I never expect to hear anything so terrible as the screams of those people from the time they would jump until they struck the pavement," he said.

W. W. (Pat) Patterson, another Associated Press reporter, saw one man outlined against a panel of fire in an eighth floor corner window. His clothing caught fire as he waved vainly, and his head rolled helplessly from side to side. Then he fell back out of sight as a huge gush of flame roared from the window.

Night Clerk Comer Rowan said very few guests came downstairs after the alarm sounded, and a bell captain reported that racing flames blocked the stair exits. Elevators were knocked out almost immediately.

Some guests escaped by clinging to ledges or swinging from bed sheets until firemen reached them. Many who leaped from upper floors hit safety nets but the hurtling bodies tore the nets from firemen's hands. A few guests escaped death by barricading their doors against heat and smoke.

Nelson Thatch, chief room clerk who lived on the sixth floor, pleaded futilely with a woman one floor below but she leaped to her death in an alley. Another woman was forcibly restrained by Bell Captain William Mobley and an unidentified army major.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Turk, of Tulsa, Okla., held their two-year-old daughter, Nancy Dianne, outside their window until firemen reached them. They were rescued. Turk's two brothers, John M. and Richard, swung from the tenth floor to the ninth on bed sheets, and were rescued by firemen.

Bodies were found on every floor above the third, where bedroom facilities began. Those not in direct line of the flames suffocated. Mrs. Annie Lee Irwin, of Atlanta, who bought the building for about $650,000 in 1943, had leased it to Arthur F. Geele, Sr., of Danville, Ky. He operates the hotel with his son, A. F. Geele, Jr., and R. E. O'Connell. Geele, Sr., was hunting in south Georgia.

Fifty Hi-Y girls from all over Georgia were quartered in the hotel. Some escaped, and the fate of others was unknown. Emergency mortuaries were set up throughout Atlanta after the Municipal Morgue reported it was at capacity.

The fire was reported shortly after 3 a.m. Firemen brought it under control by 7 a.m., and the last bodies were removed by 9:30.

F. A. Herring, hotel auditor, said he awoke in his third-floor room about 3:30. "I never saw anything like it," he said. "Bodies were hurtling down past my window."

James Little, of Elizabethon, Tenn., said he pleaded vainly with Frank Jones, of Friendship, Tenn., but the latter jumped in panic from the eighth floor. "I couldn't stop him," he said. "If he'd waited five minutes more he would have been saved."

Police Chief M. A. Hornsby said: "At least 25 or 30 persons were killed by leaping from windows." One woman dropped on a ladder where Fireman Jack Burnham was attempting to reach another woman. Burnham was critically hurt, the woman killed.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Cochran, of Miami, Fla., swung on sheets from the top floor to the eighth. There flames set fire to the sheets, and Cochran said the next thing he knew was when firemen brought him down.

The Senior Geele and his son returned from Brunswick, Ga., where they had been hunting. He said he was "stunned" but would have no comment until after an investigation of the fire's origin.

Geele said his first act, after taking over operation of the hotel, was to install fire hose and fire extinguishers on all floors, and added the structure was considered fire-proof.

TWO SHREVEPORT MEN ESCAPE HOTEL BLAZE

SHREVEPORT, La., Dec. 7.—(AP)—Two Shreveport men escaped from the flaming Winecoff Hotel at Atlanta, Ga., this morning, one by sliding down a sheet rope, and the other making his way from the 15th floor to safety.

William D. Keith, 36, former army captain, awakened to find flames already in his room. He tied a sheet to the radiator, and slid down it to the fourth floor, where he knocked out a window screen and was able to reach the ground floor by the stairs.

L. C. Thrash, salesman, escaped from the 15th floor, but his wife had not learned full details tonight. He was at an Atlanta home, suffering shock and the effects of the smoke he inhailed.

A Barksdale field captain flew to Atlanta today, fearful for the safety of his wife, only to learn that his 18-year-old sister-in-law, Ruth Powell of Bainbridge, Ga., was a victim of the flames. Friends said that Capt. J. C. Brooks was en route to Atlanta before the casualty list containing Miss Powell's name was announced.

Mrs. Brooks apparently was unharmed.

Keith telephoned his mother, Mrs. William D. Keith, that he awakened to find flames already in his room. He soaked a sheet in water, tied it to the radiator, and lowered himself to the fourth floor, where he was able to enter through a window after dislodging the screen.

It was the second narrow escape within about a month's time for Keith. At Meridian, Miss., he was a passenger on a plane which crashed through a fence when one of the wheels collapsed after landing. He was not injured.

BIG CITY IS BUSY CARING FOR INJURED

ATLANTA, Dec. 7.—(AP)—This city of a half million opened its heart today through its Red Cross chapter to care for the injured, soothe the fears of the bereaved and quiet the fears of anxiety-ridden in its worst disaster—the Winecoff Hotel fire.

Fourteen trunk telephone lines to chapter headquarters were kept continually busy giving information about the fire—something grief-laden and sometimes otherwise—to frantic friends and relatives of victims or possible victims of the flames.

Chapter Chairman Oby T. Brewer estimated that 10,000 calls were answered before nightfall with no let up as the night wore on. Inquiries came from as far away as London and from scores of cities, towns and hamlets.

Brewer announced that all the facilities of the chapter would remain in full operation until the last of some 120 dead was identified.

A volunteer staff of more than 250 went without rest during the day and others hurried to offer their services as replacements as the first-comers literally wore themselves out. More than 75 nurses aides and 25 registered nurses volunteered and were hurried to hospitals and first aid stations as needed.

ATLANTA FIRE RANKS AMONG NATION'S WORST

(By Associated Press)

Atlanta's Winecoff Hotel fire ranks among the nation's worst conflagrations. It was the most serious hotel fire. Among major fires were:

Dec. 30, 1903—Chicago's Iroquois theater, 602 dead.

June 15, 1904—Steamship General Slocum in New York's East River, 1,021 dead.

March 4, 1908—Collinwood school fire, Cleveland, 174 dead.

March 25, 1911—Triangle Shirt Waist Company fire in New York City, 145.

May 15, 1929—Cleveland Clinic fire, Cleveland, 124.

March 18, 1937—New London, Tex., school explosion and fire, 294.

Nov. 28, 1942—Boston's Cocoanut Grove night club, 488.

June 5, 1946—Chicago's LaSalle Hotel, 61.

BUSINESS

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night or Saturday noon with notices in their pocket not to return to work on Monday in consequence of the expected widespread closings of factories and plants read the dramatic news from Washington with more than passing interest.

Government economists had predicted a drop of some $20,000,000,000 in the present national income of between $175,000,000,000 and $180,000,000,000 if the coal strike was not terminated soon.

All through the week business operations in every field where coal plays a part moved at a progressively slower pace with every passing second.

The longest waves in the ocean generally are found in the South Pacific, and sometimes attain lengths of 1000 feet.

CHECKUP

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performing "an extremely difficult job in a most commendable manner," but the investigator said he "found evidence to substantiate" charges that the American military authorities failed to "give effective cooperation to UNRRA personnel."

On major subjects covered in the report, the investigator said:

Displaced persons—"There is still a strong feeling against the displaced persons and their care on the part of the Germans, and this feeling occasionally shows itself in the other elements, including the military. * * * Repatriation of Baltic people presents a difficult problem * * * and several sources state that they are mainly desirous of seeing a war between Russia and the western powers * * *. There is a feeling in some quarters that the heavy influx of 'Jewish' infiltrees pouring into the United States zone is by design, to force a decision on the Palestinian question or to admit Jews in even larger numbers to the United States."

Health—"Venereal disease * * * is the most serious health problem in the European theater. * * * Venereal disease rates have constantly risen in the theater as a whole."

Morals and morale—"It is quite evident that both enlisted men and officers are rather promiscuous in their association with German women. On the question of morale it can be stated to be exceptionally good from the point of view that enlisted men, officers and civilians have good food inexpensively, sufficient leisure time, plenty of transportation, and a reasonable variety of things to do. On the other hand the morale is not so good considering their dissatisfaction with the work they are doing." The report quotes army chaplains as being in agreement that "lip service is frequently given to the place of religion in the army program by high-ranking generals and many of their staff members" and that "the army must change its attitude toward condoning immorality as being natural to the male human."

Black market operations—"It is generally believed that the Americans gave the Russians the plates from which they have been printing marks by the ton on which they place no value; but apparently we pay $1 for ten marks. Many stories are current regarding individuals who allegedly beat the currency control and engage in black market activities. From casual observation it would appear that the vast majority are involved one way or the other so * * * it should be possible to check the bank accounts or income tax returns of various officers or enlisted men who were in Germany a year ago to ascertain the present state of their fortune."

International political practices—"Army people are disturbed over the embarrassment and frustration we have suffered since August, 1946, in attempting quadripartite management of Germany according to a set of principles agreed on by only three of the partners in the concern. They are disturbed also over the solution agreed upon at Potsdam for the problem of the German minority in eastern Europe. They are more and more convinced that this solution is fundamentally wrong, that it has created mass injustice, and that it has unneccesarily ruined the lives of hundreds of thousands of people. * * * They are convinced that on the Soviet side there has been violation of * * * the principles agreed upon in Potsdam * * * relating to Democratic parties and freedom of the press. They believe * * * that Soviet objectives in this area look to the establishment of a totalitarian dictatorship in the eastern zone of Germany if not in the total area."

Denazification—"It has also been reported that American officers in military government are known to be socially intimate with the families of former high-ranking Nazi officials."

Officers—A problem is the retention of officers who are known to be inefficient or undesirable for one reason or another. * * * For the good of the service they should be relieved and sent home.

Dependents—"It is said that there are about 6,000 officers' dependents as compared with 600 dependents of enlisted men. * * * Another angle on the dependent issue is that some of those who have brought furniture over at government expense allegedly stipulated a certain number of pounds more than they brought, with the idea of acquiring German articles of furniture to take back with them and yet not exceed what the documents say they brought."

NO-STRIKE

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not settled is the issue of defiance of our government."

Senator Butler (R-Neb.): — Lewis' action "shows good judgment as well as a patriotic spirit," but it should not stop congress from passing new labor legislation.

House Republican Leader Martin of Massachusetts:—"Gratified" that the strike has been halted, but the new congress should still proceed with "constructive" labor legislation.

Rep. Halleck (R-Ind.): — Congress has a responsibility to enact labor legislation "which will be constructive, but not punitive and which will give first consideration to the welfare of the nation as a whole."

Rep. Case (R-S.D.), author of the vetoed Case labor disputes bill—The end of the strike "should be a warning to the country that we should not leave the destinies and welfare of the public in such shape that one man at one time can hold the economic life of the country in his hands."

Senator Hatch (D-NM):—"I couldn't conceive of men remaining out on strike when the nation faced such a critical situation."

Senator Lucas (D-Ill.) — "Glad to know that John L. Lewis saw the error of his ways and capitulated."

Senator Capper (R-Kans.): — "He (Lewis) did the best possible thing from any standpoint. He was on the wrong track and reached the only logical conclusion."

Senator Wiley (R-Wis.): — "John Lewis' action is good news for the country. What he has done now indicates a belated recognition that we are a nation of laws. It is apparent that the weight of public opinion has played a big part in this."

Senator Millikin (R-Colo.):—"That's mighty good news. It's a wise decision based on sound reasons. It will strengthen the hand of those who want to see the firm and well balanced labor relations legislation."

Senator Brooks (R-Ill.): — "Ending of the coal strike temporarily culminates one of the most serious and devastating threats to the welfare of all the American people. This tragic experience is a challenge to the best minds in labor, industry and the congress to devise means of preventing such a catastrophe ever recurring."

JES' RAMBLIN'

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in the first block from De Siard "Looks like all downtown sewer, water, electric and other connections to and from buildings pass through this site. To circumvent all this trouble is certainly a high feat of engineering. I counted 128 different suggestions from fellow engineers as just how to proceed to get in that foundation I'm working on. Guess with all this aid I'll surely succeed ultimately.

And talking about lines underground, it's of interest at this time to know that the government's Little Inch fuel line was tied into the Tennessee Gas and Transmission company's 24-inch natural gas pipeline over near Natchitoches the past week. Officials of the company in Houston said the tie-in was completed some seventy hours before the company was notified its lease agreement had been accepted by the government. Special equipment for the tie-in was prefabricated in Houston in 24 hours and flown to Natchitoches, where it was trucked to the site. Tennessee company representatives said gas started flowing into the Little Inch at the rate of 50 million cubic feet daily and likely will require six or seven days to reach distribution sources in Ohio.

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People in the vicinity of St. Joseph, La. gathered on the courthouse lawn, December 1 to pay tribute to a Negro hero, Tom Gordon, who several months ago leaped into a burning pit after a Butane gas explosion to rescue his employer, William David Clarke. Suffering terrible burns himself, he lifted the body of young Clarke out and only climbed out himself when Clarke was beyond reach of the flames. Clarke lived in a hospital, where he was rushed, for several days, when he died an agonized death. Leading citizens of Tensas parish held a public meeting at which Gardner's heroism was rewarded. He was given a purse of $1,000 and informed that his wants will be cared for by the community for the remainder of his life. Also his name has been presented to the Carnegie Foundation with the recommendation that he be awarded a Carnegie hero medal. Action like this shows that southern people are warm-hearted and responsive to deeds of heroism, regardless of race.

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You can now buy an airplane from Uncle Sam for as little as $250. But since the last of 850 planes available in Louisiana and Mississippi have been sold, you'll have to pick it up at Fort Worth, Oklahoma City or perhaps at Augusta, Ga. Reduction of the price for BT-13 basic trainers from $450 is announced by the War Assets Administration in a campaign to clear out 2286 on hand. The BT-13 is a low-wing, monoplane with a 450 horsepower Pratt and Whitney engine. Most of the $250 jobs are still flyable.

REBUILT DOLL

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And placed on a doll named Mary Lou.

My arm was taken, I felt no pain,
It was placed on a doll named Mary Jane;
While the other arm and my only leg,
Became a part of a doll named Peg.

For days my torso lay in the dust,
I felt that the world was very unjust;
When one day they took me against my will,
Blacked my body and called me Bill.

And now I am dollies of four little girls,
They kiss me and love me and comb my curls;
It may be I've lost my one-time charms,
But now I am squeezed by eight little arms.

The above poem was written by Chas. A. Stratford one evening after he had worked long and hard repairing toys for crippled children and little ones who were helpless and motherless. Perhaps you have some broken toys or dollies that can be repaired and be loved and hugged by some little boy or girl. The Salvation Army is unable to collect these articles as they are so busy but you can deliver them to 110 1/2 South Grand street. If you do not have old toys please remember that the Good Fellows are raising funds so that each little Jack and little Jill may have the same kind of Christmas you would like your little child to have. Send your check today.

We are pleased to see the Good Fellows fund grow in 24 hours from $342.20 to $607.76. It shows that many people are responsive to the appeals of the less fortunate in our midst. But we still need many more dollars if several hundred people are to be cared for on December 25.

Here are some letters:

"Dear Santa: I'm a little boy 11 years old. I have tried to be a good boy and want you to remember all my family. Mother wants two sheets, one blanket, one spread and a pair of nilons. I want a B. B. gun, five packages of B.B.s, a pair of leather boots, size 6. I hope I haven't asked too much."

One more:

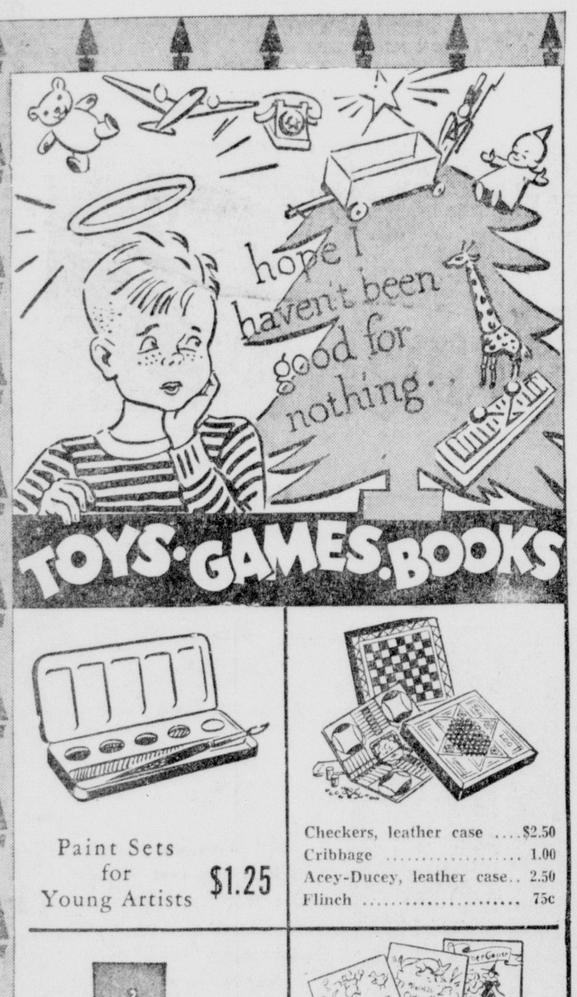
"Mr. Good Fellows: I am writing you to see if you could help us out a little for Christmas. Me and my husband are about sick and not able to work. I'm to go to the T. B. sanitorium as soon as they can make room for me. It don't look like we shall have much Christmas unless you help us. Anything you can do for us will be appreciated. Thanking you in advance for what I feel sure you will do for us."

Again:

"Dearest Good Fellows: Just a few lines to say I wish each needy family in the world a happy Christmas, though I know that unless our home is payed a visit by some good people like you all, it will be a sad day for us, as my father isn't living with us and my stepfather does not make enough for us to have anything. I am nine years old and have two sisters, one six and one four. We are all good and go to Sunday school every Sunday at the First Baptist Church in West Monroe. So if you have anything to spare us in the way of clothes and food I am sure the Lord in Heaven will bless you all as he is the one who we should look to for help. Wishing you a very merry Xmas and happy new year. May the Lord bless you."

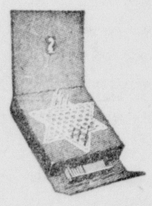
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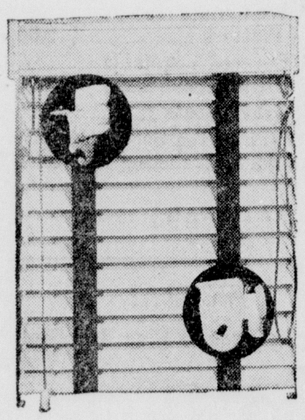

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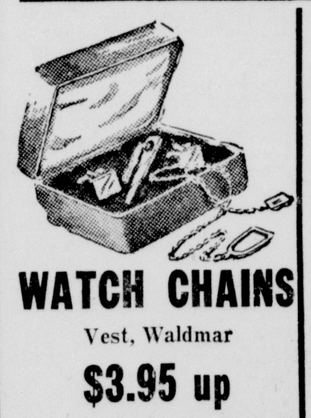
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Jack Blanks was awarded a Service Medal by National Red Cross, Washington, D. C. for his outstanding work in Life Saving and Water Safety. The medal was presented at the regular Board Meeting by O. N. McNeil, chairman of Life Saving and Water Safety.

Mr. Blanks began his life-saving while quite young, as he expressed it: "because someone got into deep water trouble and needed saving." Since his first rescue, made while young and inexperienced, he has studied and taken many courses, which has made him an expert.

Mr. Blanks could not even estimate the number of boys and girls he had taught to swim, but the records at Ouachita Parish Red Cross chapter reveal that there are over a thousand, not including the number he taught to swim in his special classes at the natatorium.

Jack is always interested in any new methods in life saving and water safety. He took a refresher course last year in order to be up to date on any new methods learned by the Army.

Mr. McNeil stated that the chapter was very proud of Mr. Blanks' achievements in community cooperation.

DEATHS

MRS. RICHARD H. WHITNEY

ST. JOSEPH, La., Dec. 7—(Special)—Mrs. Richard Harris Whitney died at her home in St. Joseph Friday night.

Funeral services will be held at the Episcopal Church at 2 p. m., Sunday, with the Rector J. Dean Maurer of Tallulah officiating. Burial will be in Natchez, Miss.

Mrs. Whitney leaves one son, Richard Moore Whitney, St. Joseph; two sisters, Mrs. William Davison, St. Joseph, Mrs. W. J. Steen, St. Joseph, and a number of nieces and nephews.

L. P. PONDER

Services for L. P. Ponder, 78, a retired merchant and cotton buyer, who died Friday at his home at Hallsville, Texas, were held there Saturday morning. He was a brother of C. L. Ponder of Monroe.

MRS. J. A. DEAN

Mrs. J. A. Dean died Friday in Pontchatoula, Tangipahoa parish.

She is survived by four sons, James A. Dean, of Marion, La.; H. C. Dean, Edgewood, Tex.; J. O. Dean, Little Rock, Ark.; Elmer Dean, Sealbeach, Calif.; two daughters, Mrs. L. J. Jarmon, Marion, La.; Mrs. Werna Coburn, Pontchatoula; two brothers, J. H. Harris, Little Rock, Ark.; Porter Harris, Jacksonville, Ark.; one sister, Mrs. I. T. Hale, Oklahoma; 19 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Services in charge of the Hixson Bros. Funeral Home of Monroe, will be held at First Baptist Church Sunday at 2:30 p.m., in Marion, with the Rev. J. T. Burgess officiating. Interment will be in Concord Cemetery.

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AWARDED SERVICE MEDAL



Jack Blanks (left) is shown receiving recognition for his outstanding work in life saving and water safety. The award, made by O. N. McNeil (right) is from the national Red Cross, Ouachita parish chapter. Mr. McNeil is chairman in this group of life saving and water safety.

VETERAN AVIATION EXPERT DEMONSTRATES PLANE HERE

Currey Sanders Tells Of Varied Experiences In Aviation Field

By George V. Lofton

One of the nation's outstanding aviation authorities and a pilot of nearly 37 years' experience with 13,600 "logged" hours of flying after starting out in 1917 in the flimsy "crates" of that era, returned to Monroe yesterday to exhibit the newest and most luxurious of modern planes.

He is W. Currey Sanders, manager of the Shreveport district of the Dallas Aircraft Sales, Inc., distributors of Beechcraft planes. He came here to show the new Beechcraft "18," designed for executives, who in increasing numbers have employed their own planes to travel throughout the nation on business and pleasure trips.

"Returned to Monroe" is correct, because Sanders lived here in 1927 and 1928 working with a dusting company whose planes were based at the old Smoot field. His experiences since then have carried him into almost every country of the world.

Sanders got his first taste of flying in 1917 when he was a pilot in the Army Air Corps in World War I. He continued in the aviation career that led him to prominence in practically every phase of the industry.

Until he joined the Beechcraft organization last May, Sanders was connected with Lockheed for ten years, five of which were spent as chief test pilot. For two years he was in charge of the Navy base at Van Nuys, Calif., collecting confidential data for Navy aircraft that later was used to revise strategical operations of the Naval Air Force.

Sanders spent a great deal of time in Venezuela, training pilots for the National Air Lines, and his ability in that field also took him to Canada, Yugoslavia, France, England, South Africa, Australia, Java, India and other countries throughout the world.

The veteran pilot told of an interesting experience in 1941, before the United States had entered World War II. With Rommel at the walls of Cairo, the British were in dire need of aircraft. Sanders was assigned the job of ferrying 30 planes from this country to North Africa. He directed the planes to Miami, then took off for Brazil. He encountered some difficulties with authorities there, but finally was cleared, and he pioneered the route to Africa, which was used thereafter for ferrying planes to that theater of operations. As a result of his success there, he was called to Washington in 1941 to set up the ferry command for the U. S. Army Air Forces. He later commanded the ferrying of bombers to the British.

Sanders was one of the top experts at Lockheed back in 1941. He vividly recalls the hysteria which followed the report that the Japanese fleet was off the coast of California just after Pearl Harbor. On Dec. 10, the F. B. I. and Army representatives notified him that the Japs were planning to bomb the Lockheed plant and that 100 bombers would have to be moved to avoid being destroyed. The weather was terrible and a cold front was moving toward the coast. Sanders notified the president of the firm, who in turned talked to Washington. The report was "verified" and Lockheed gave instructions to move the planes. Under Sanders' directions, the job was undertaken immediately and, despite weather conditions, the 100 planes took off at the rate of one every three minutes without mishap. The precaution was taken because there was only two machine guns at the Lockheed plant, showing how badly prepared the nation was at that time. The report was false, however, because no Jap ships ever showed up off the coast.

The Beechcraft "18," which Sanders demonstrated yesterday and which he will exhibit throughout today at Selman field, is the last word in performance and comfort for executives who prefer their private planes for rapid transportation. It accommodates eight passengers and its appointments are luxurious. There are seats in front for the pilot and co-pilot. The passenger seats are upholstered in red plush, and there's a table for either paper work or card playing. In the rear there is a spacious compartment for luggage.

The performance of the plane was demonstrated in a 30-minute flight over the city Saturday for several newspapermen. The plane has two Pratt and Whitney Wasp, Jr., motors of 450 horsepower. During the flight yesterday, Sanders feathered one of the motors and the plane cruised on only one, yet it functioned just as smoothly as if two were operating. It gained altitude on the one motor, the pilot banked the ship and went through other maneuvers that ordinarily would not have been practicable in other type planes.

30 SUMMONED IN HEARING ON BILBO

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—(AP)—More than 30 witnesses have been summoned to testify before the Senate war investigating subcommittee looking into the relations between Senator Bilbo, Democrat, Mississippi, and a group of war contractors, Chairman Mead, Democrat, New York, announced tonight.

The public hearings begin Thursday.

Mead noted in a statement that Bilbo made known his intention of appearing personally.

"The subcommittee has assured Senator Bilbo that it will summon as witnesses any persons known by him to have first-hand information with respect to the matters under investigation," Mead added. "In accordance with the committee's traditional policy, the subcommittee approaches this investigation with an open mind and is interested only in ascertaining the truth.

"The committee has not pre-judged the validity of the serious charges made and will make certain that all relevant facts are produced in public hearings."

Mead did not make the witness list public.

Another Senate committee completed open hearings at Jackson, Miss., Thursday into allegations that Bilbo tried to keep Negroes from voting in last summer's primary. That group—the special committee investigating campaign expenditures—has not made its report.

CRUSADE RALLY BEING PLANNED

Methodists To Stress At Meeting, Value Of Stewardship

Methodists of Louisiana, celebrating the addition of over 15,000 new members in the past year, are coming together for another Crusade Rally and Missionary Institute on December 10 at the First Methodist Church of Monroe, at 10:00-12:00 a.m.

The special emphasis of the Crusade Rallies this year will be stewardship. The principle speaker for the occasion will be the Rev. J. J. Rasmussen, pastor of Trinity Methodist Church in Ruston, who during the past year travelled for six months in Poland under the auspices of the World Council of Churches. Rev. Rasmussen will bring first-hand information concerning conditions existing in Poland.

Also scheduled to speak are Rev. E. B. Emmerich, executive secretary of the board of education, Rev. B. A. Galloway, pastor of Century Methodist Church in Franklinton and Conference Missionary Secretary Judge E. L. Walker, conference lay leader, and Mrs. Glenn Laskey, conference president of the Women's Society of Christian Service.

SIX PRIZE SWINE SELL FOR $2,022

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—(AP)—Six prize swine carcasses which were bid in at auction for $2,022.50 yesterday by a sight-seeing railroad engineer who later found he was on the wrong track were sold today to Swift and Company for $411.02.

Yesterday, John H. Rupnick, an engineer attending the International Livestock Exposition as a visitor, walked into the auction and made bids ranging up to $5 on the six carcasses. "I never saw such bargains," Rupnick said.

Later, however, he learned that although he thought he was buying the champion swine carcass of the entire show, weighing 200 pounds, for $5, actually the bidding was on a per pound basis, making a total of $1,000. In addition, he had "bought" the reserve champion carcass, weighing 183 pounds, for $2 a pound, two others at $1 and two at 50 cents a pound. His "bargains" totaled $2,022.50.

Rupnick took his problem to the show's general manager, William E. Ogilvie. Ogilvie scheduled another sale. Rupnick did not attend.

CHARITY LEAGUE TO BE SPONSORS

The Junior Charity league will sponsor a free picture show "Little Lord Fauntleroy" at the Ouachita Parish High School auditorium, December 14 (Saturday) at 10 a. m. for all grammar school pupils, both in the city and throughout the parish.

The league desires to see a large attendance as this program is to be in the nature of a Christmas gesture on the part of that organization.

MRS. ROBINSON TO VISIT

TALLULAH, La., Dec. 7.—(Special)—Mrs. Martha G. Robinson of New Orleans, president of the Louisiana League of Women Voters, will speak Wednesday, December 11 at 4 p. m. in the Court Room of the Court House in the interest of her organization. Mrs. Robinson spoke to the Tallulah Book Club at their Education meeting last fall and she presented Miss Mary Dingman in the interest of the Women's Committee for Lasting Peace early in the spring. The Women of Madison Parish are cordially invited and urged to hear Mrs. Robinson who brings a very timely message from the National League of Women Voters.

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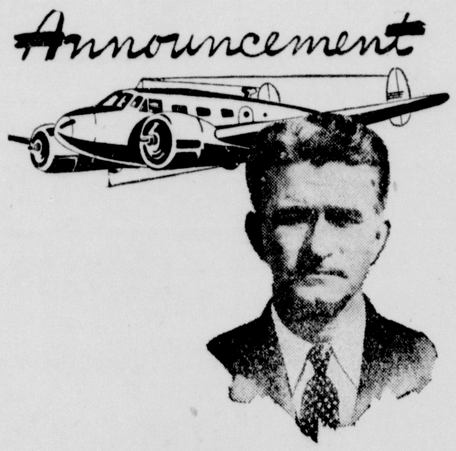
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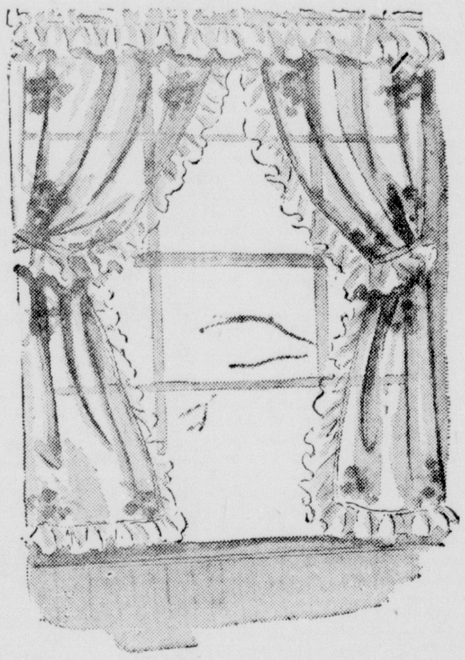
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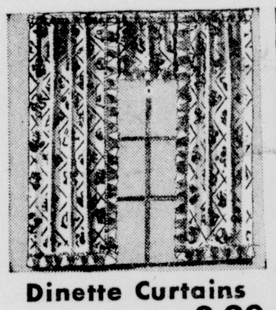
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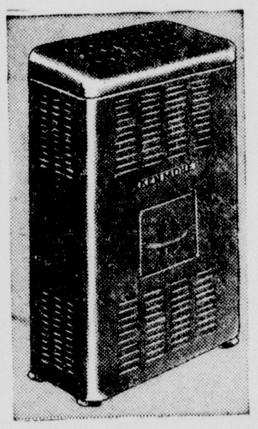
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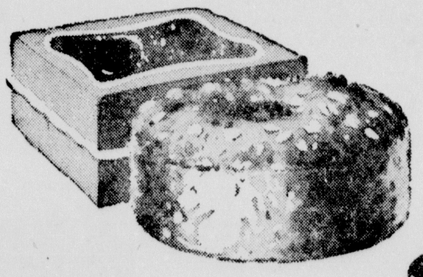


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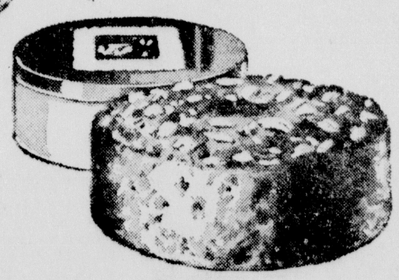
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This house was built to demonstrate the practical uses of cement block in Southern construction. All walls are textone and sheetrock with a fine sand finish. Colors are a soft pastel and the dining room walls are decorated with a special scenic wallpaper. Twelve windows diffuse an abundance of light in all rooms. Screens are copper.

The house has been completely furnished by the Delta Furniture Company, and draped throughout by Mrs. Abbott and Mrs. Allbritton of the Delta Interior Decorating Company.

Flowers will lend their charge to the interior and are being supplied by Mary's Flower Shop.

Concrete blocks were furnished by the Pyramid Concrete Products Company. Millwork was from the C. C. Bell Manufacturing Company. Electrical wiring and fixtures were in charge of Willie Adcock Electric Company. All paint and pastel tinting products, mantel and scenic wallpapers were provided by the Pearce Paint and Paper Company.

Plumbing work and fixtures were furnished by Bob Semmes, plumbing contractor, and the house is insured by the H. R. Speed Insurance Company.

Metal work was furnished by the Twin City Roofing Company and plans and building were supplied by L. E. and H. B. Hibbard, contractors.

This house is ready for occupancy and the formal opening has been set for today at 10 a. m. to 5 p. m. when the public is asked to make inspection. It is listed for sale by the I. and S. Realty Company.

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USED WAC SNUGGIES WILL KEEP GERMAN GIRLS WARM

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 7.—(AP)—German frauleins—450 of them—will not be cold out in the cold this winter.

Those much-discussed used WAC snuggies, for which there was no demand by commercial dealers, were sold today to Mrs. Blanche Stoesser of Madison for use by the New Jersey Committee for Relief to German needy, Robert W. Allan, New Jersey district director of the War Assets Administration reported.

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Sixty Are Candidates At Commencement Set For January 25

RUSTON, La., Dec. 7.—(Special)—Sixty seniors at Louisiana Tech have been announced as candidates for degrees at the close of the fall semester here January 25, according to Mrs. Ruby B. Pearce, college registrar.

Candidates for degrees are:

Agriculture—Benjamin F. Grafton, Ruston.

Business Administration — Marguerite Chloe Britt, Glenmora; E. H. Busbice, Rayville; Muriel Oree Calahan, Ruston; Betty Jo Chaffin, Bryceland; Mary Evelyn Clark, Vicksburg, Miss.; Jene Dawson, Shreveport; L. Doris Edwards, Shreveport; Lottie Mae Ewing, Chatham; Joseph Morris Farmer, Choudrant; Joseph Warren Harris, Mansfield; Sarah Alita Jackson, Monroe; Jessie Irene Kennedy, Winnfield; Willis Eugene Lewis, Ruston; Hattie Elizabeth McDowell, Bastrop; Claude Kenneth Payne, Springhill; Erle Read, Tallulah; Robert Burns Shaw, Winnfield; Rex Brunton Sprawls; Bienville; Clinton P. Stall, Gibsland; Jo Ann Willis, Bastrop; Chester A. Wojecki, Erie, Pa.

Economics—Robert E. Gangstad, Monroe.

Education—Cecil Moser Culpepper, Quitman; Ann Doherty, Vicksburg, Miss.; Ollie Bruner Fuglaar, Jr., Tioga; Marianna Johnson, Minden; Betty Virginia Jones, Arcadia; Angel Annette Joubert, Ferriday; Jacqueline A. Knauer, New Orleans; and Margie Beth Mitchell, West Monroe.

Engineering—Howard Thomas DePrato, Ruston; William Carson Johnston, McDonald, Pa.; James F. Kistenmacher, El Paso, Texas; Richard Matthew See, Lake Charles; and John Truhan, Mahoning, Ohio.

Home Economics—Mrs. I. L. Bowman, Hodge; Mary Sue Daniel, Simsboro; Doris Virginia Eason, Cullen; Neva Pearl Foster, Perkinston, Miss.; Marilyn Smitherman Jones, Arcadia; Rogenia A. Price, Winnsboro, and Dorothy Nan Taylor, Ruston.

Liberal Arts—Beverly Lane Applebaum, Alexandria; Fred Becker, Rosebud, Texas; William Elkins, El Dorado, Ark.; Virginia Anne Foster, Ruston; Grover Clint Miller, Rodessa; Martha Evelyn Rives, Homer; Vera Louise Sobers, Ruston; Truet Bradford Thompson, Shreveport; Cascille Trussell, Ruston; Frances Paula Welsh, Magnolia, Ark.; and Kathryn Zeigler, Shreveport.

Mathematics—Frances Ruth Henry, Ruston.

Music—Mrs. Emelia Donnelly Dickinson, Big Springs, Nebr.; and Peter Joseph Donnelly, Big Springs, Nebr.

Physical Education—Walter Ford, Lafayette, Ind.; Leonard Joseph Olsen, New Orleans, and Germaine D. Ros, Springhill.

SCIENCE ADDRESS SET FOR TUESDAY

A free lecture on Christian Science will be delivered at the Ouachita Parish High School auditorium Tuesday at 8 p. m.

The lecture entitled "Christian Science: A Religion of Works," will be delivered by John S. Sammons, C. S., of Chicago, Ill., member of the board of lectureship of the mother church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

This lecture will be sponsored by the First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Monroe, and the public is cordially invited to attend.

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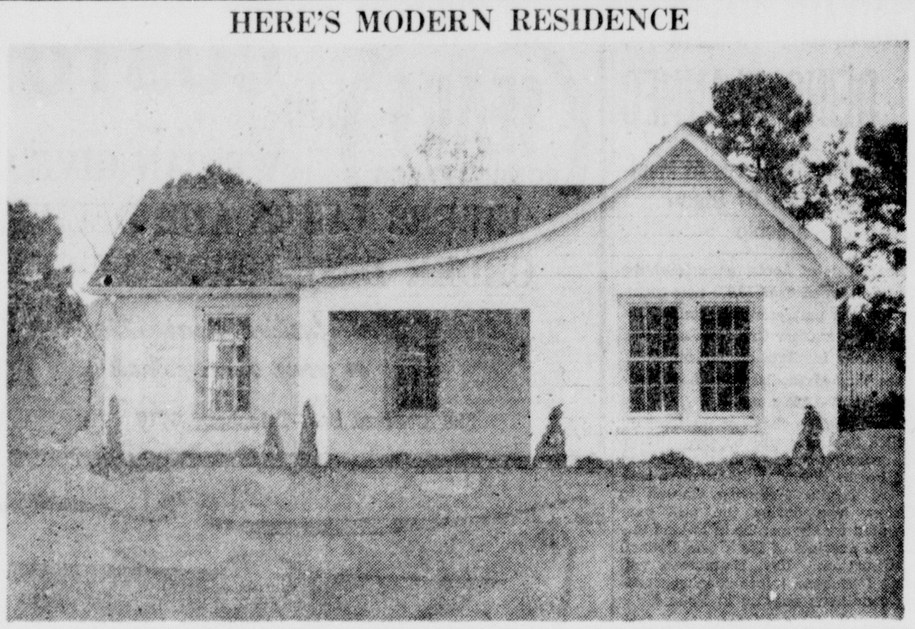


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AGED SCHOOL SOUVENIR BOOK HARKS BACK TO YEAR OF 1916

City High, Dr. Forsythe, Memorialized On Pages Of Dr. Baur's Volume

Almost forgotten pages of past Monroe history are recorded in a carefully-preserved red suede-bound book entitled, "School Fellow Days," which are a throwback to the days of 1916 in the Monroe City High School. This book is the property of Dr. H. H. Baur, member of that graduating class, and who regards it as one of his choicest treasures.

Members of the class were 20 in number, the largest number to have been graduated up to that time. They are named as follows: Mary J. Cassidy, Cammie C. Clark, Willie E. Jefferson, Margaret H. Kennon, Della M. Kornmann, Carrie Masur, Dorothy L. Prophit, Kate E. Smith, Mae L. Smith, Creary Theus, Ruth A. Washburn, Lula D. Wetzel, Emma Windes, Henry H. Baur, Marcus B. Kahn, Francesca Shotwell, Lucile F. Stroud, Warren F. Taylor, Briscoe A. Trousdale and Eugene Windes.

Autographs and photographs are exceedingly numerous in the volume. Young women are shown in their long dresses and here and there is a "horseless carriage."

The faculty of Monroe City High is listed for the year 1915-1916 as follows: E. L. Neville, superintendent; Mrs. Minnie Ruffin, history; W. M. Shaw, science; Miss Gladys Renshaw, French; R. E. Jones, mathematics; Miss Dorothy Schultz, Latin, and Miss Lida S. Benton, English, showing that six teachers and the superintendent comprised the entire faculty.

Extensive press clippings from the News-Star recorded the death of Mayor A. A. Forsythe, president of the school board and 15 years the mayor of the city. Telling of this death the paper recorded: "Never in the history of Monroe has there been such demonstration or outburst of feeling as was shown this morning at the funeral of Dr. A. A. Forsythe, mayor of Monroe for nearly 16 years. Business of every nature came to a standstill during the hour of the funeral at the City Hall and interment in the City Cemetery. Not a door remained open in the business district, while professional men closed their offices and joined in tribute to the dead mayor. The Iron Mountain general offices were closed and railway business was suspended for an hour. Every train and every locomotive in the city limits was stopped for five minutes during the funeral. The V. S. and P. shops and all railroad offices closed. Long before the hour set for the funeral, hundreds of people began to gather at the City Hall until 10:30 when all available space was filled to capacity in the building and crowds filled the streets for an entire block. Thousands lined sidewalks from the City Hall down St. John and DeSiard Streets to the cemetery.

"Not only did Monroe pay tribute to the memory of Dr. Forsythe, but many prominent citizens from various parts of the parish and other parishes came to show their sorrow in Dr. Forsythe's passing. It has been a sad day in the history of Monroe for the people in their sombre thoughts, laying aside political differences, have realized the loss they have sustained in Mayor Forsythe's death; today they see his noble deeds, virtues and sacrifices; they see the real man who was so beloved by those who stood near to him and who realized his inmost thoughts and ambitions.

"Just as the hands of the clock marked the hour of 10:30, Dr. C. S. Newman, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, and close friend of Mayor Forsythe stepped to the head of the casket that bore the mayor's remains and started to read the Scripture."

In the funeral procession that later wended its way to the City Cemetery were 1,400 boys and girls from two schools who marched to the mayor's last resting place, the newspaper stated.

An excellent picture of Mayor Forsythe was shown on one page of the book.

The same newspaper gave an extended writeup of the commencement for the 1916 class when three honor students were presented and who delivered speeches. They were Warren Taylor, Lula Wetzel and Lucile Stroud.

The alumni banquet was reported and was held in the New Star Hotel. The speaker of the evening was Attorney H. H. Russell. Class plays and social functions were included in reviews on the pages of the aged book. Debating clubs were featured; the seniors had a party on Pine Top. Athletic events through the year were given attention and included basketball and football, the championship being won for Northeast Louisiana by Monroe City High; then came the state rally in which the school made a good showing.

Near the back of the book, the Bastrop High School was shown as Dr. Baur had attended there before he came to Monroe, and there were pictures of that Morehouse parish school before it was burned and also a fire scene when the structure was wiped out.

Numerous letters of congratulation and pictures of Bastrop High as well as of the Monroe City High School completed the layout of the unique volume which although 30 years old is still treasured as a rather unique book, replete with history for those who participated in the stirring educational events of more than a quarter of a century ago.

MEETINGS SCHEDULED

Jehovah's Witnesses will meet at 216 South Fifth street, Monroe, when a Watchtower study will be held Sunday at 7:30 p. m. The subject will be: "Let God Prove To Be True." A book study will be held Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. at the same place the subject being "Let God Be True."

BLOOD DONORS BEING SOUGHT

Red Cross Chapter And Health Unit Unite To Obtain Supply

Putting war-gained knowledge permanently to work in peace, the Ouachita Parish Medical society and the Ouachita Parish Red Cross chapter are going to make every effort to fill all future local needs for life saving blood, Dr. Fred Marx and Dr. Summer, Civilian Blood Donor service directors, said as they explained the organization of the local donor center.

This plan calls for supplying the donors needed to furnish blood without charge to all physicians, hospitals, and clinics here.

Workers from the Ouachita Red Cross chapter will cooperate with the medical society and the public health department on every phase of the program. The Red Cross chapter will make all local arrangements for holding blood donor clinics, recruiting donors, serving fruit juice to donors, and providing volunteer workers. The Ouachita Parish Public Health department on St. John Street provides space for the bleeding and storage of the blood. The blood donor service will transport the blood to the processing laboratory. The Ouachita Parish Medical society will distribute the blood and set the donor quotas.

REMOTE POSSESSION

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ARTISTIC WALL EFFECT PLEASES



Treatment of the interior in this completely furnished residence is both unique and delightful to the eye. This house will be thrown open at 112 Vernon street from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m. today.

SGT. CAGLE TELEPHONES FROM POST IN GERMANY

Miss Frances Cooper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cooper, Monroe, recently received a long distance call from Sgt. Ross Cagle, who is stationed in Castleburg, Germany.

On the same day Miss Cooper received a Swiss watch from Sgt. Cagle, and several boxes of beautiful handkerchiefs and scarfs. Sgt. Cagle reenlisted in the army in October of 1945. He is a son of Mrs. Rhetta Antley.

SAYS PURSE NOT TAKEN FROM CASHIER'S OFFICE

M. H. Strong, manager of the Montgomery Ward & Company store, said Saturday that a purse containing $60, which a saleswoman reported Thursday as having been stolen, had been placed by her in a cabinet in the main office and not from the cashier's office.

He explained the cabinet, in which employes leave belongings during working hours, has no lock and was not intended as a place of safekeeping for money or articles of value.

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FEDERAL AGENTS TO PRESENT PLAY

Will Feature Officers' Conference Thursday; Chiefs Assigned Roles

G-Men will turn actors and will ase the police chiefs of the Twin Cities as "local talent" in producing a play for the entertainment and instruction of peace officers of this district in the courtroom of the Monroe federal building at 2 o'clock next Thursday afternoon.

The playlet will be staged in connection with the semi-annual F. B. I. law conference, announced yesterday by C. E. Weeks, special agent in charge of the New Orleans field division. The meeting is one of a series being held throughout the state in which the combatting of post-war criminal activities are being stressed.

A typical burglary will be reenacted before the assembled officers and then there will come a complete investigation of the case and a court trial of the "accused." Presiding at the trial will be "Judge" J. Dennis Busby (that's what the announcement calls Monroe's police chief) and the part of the citizen whose home has been looted will be filled by Chief Jeff W. Caldwell, of West Monroe.

Portraying a chief of police will be Special Agent James M. Stockton, of New Orleans, and a comedy role of a new police officer will be taken by Special Agent Edgar C. Fortenberry. The trial "witnesses" will include an F. B. I. laboratory expert who will testify concerning highly technical evidence developed during the investigation.

Attendance at the conference is restricted to "duly constituted law enforcement officers," the announcement stated.

The cotton boll-weevil is preyed upon by 66 different bird enemies.



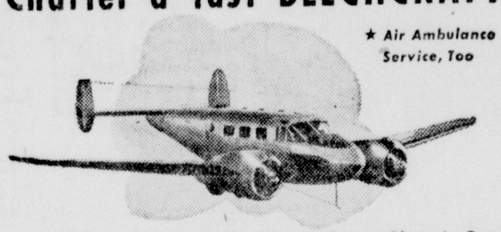
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BARGE TERMINAL BEING SOUGHT

Lake Providence Wants Facilities To Handle Freight Shipping

LAKE PROVIDENCE, La., Dec. 7.—(Special)—Merchants of Lake Providence and of East Carroll parish met in the Police Jury room with Dr. E. S. Richardson, Louisiana Department of Commerce and Industry, Baton Rouge, to work out a method of establishing a barge terminal at Lake Providence.

Merchants in this area are in search of cheaper freight transportation and turn to the Mississippi River as their solution. The only port in the state of Louisiana, on the Mississippi River is at New Orleans. A port at Lake Providence, first river town in North Louisiana with possibilities of relieving a freight situation as far west as Dallas, Tex., and north into the area of southern Arkansas.

Now passing the town of Lake Providence are the Federal Barge Line, the American Barge Line and the Commercial Barge Line, as well as several others.

Dr. Richardson, noting the spirit and determination of the East Carroll merchants, has promised that his department will make a survey of the number of merchants that could and would be serviced by establishment of a river dock terminal at Lake Providence.

The Mississippi River Commission has promised to provide the landing at Lake Providence and the East Carroll Parish Police Jury has promised to back it's citizens in this movement in every way possible.

Merchants in Shreveport, Monroe, and West Monroe either had representation at this meeting or sent expressions of cooperation in the movement.

FIRE ALARMS

Mr. and Mrs. Walter C Singley were unable to find the cause of dense smoke that filled their residence at 606 Glenmar and awakened them shortly before 8 o'clock yesterday morning, and a telephone call brought companies 1, 3 and 6. Firemen quickly traced the trouble to a burned-out motor in the kitchen refrigerator.

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NOTED LEADER



R. G. LE TOURNEAU

LE TOURNEAU IS SLATED IN TALK

Noted Industrialist Will Address Crowd At Neville Auditorium

"Bob" LeTourneau, president of R. G. LeTourneau, Inc., will fly this morning from Peoria, Ill., in his plane to Ruston where he will speak at the First Baptist church there at 11 a. m. Following this address he will fly to Monroe and will be presented in an open meeting to which the public is invited at 3 p. m., in the Neville High School auditorium.

Invitations to hear this prominent industrialist have been sent to all cities and towns of the Fifth Congressional district and a capacity house is expected, weather conditions permitting.

LeTourneau speaks as many as ten times weekly in widely separated cities and towns of the country and in a year flies over 200,000 miles in his own plane to meet his engagements which are said to be booked two years in advance. There is never an admission charged. He is regarded as a most faithful exponent of religion and declares that his huge earnings are dedicated to carry on the work of the gospel.

He has appeared in the past in Monroe at two different times, once to a large throng in the First Baptist church in West Monroe and again in the Monroe First Baptist church.

At his enormous "earth moving" plants he employs 8,000 persons. Plants are located in California, in Illinois, at Vicksburg, Miss., and Longview, Tex., as well as a plant recently opened in England. In his religious work he has been termed "America's Leading Christian Layman."

The appearance of Mr. LeTourneau in Monroe is sponsored by Rev. C. S. Cadwallader, Jr., pastor of College Place Baptist church of Monroe.

ODD FELLOWS HAVE ELECTION

W. H. Ricks Heads List For Noble Grand Of Lodge In Monroe

Officers for the year 1947 have been elected as follows by I. O. O. F. lodge No. 2 of Monroe. W. H. Ricks heads the list as noble grand.

Other officers are: Joseph Airoldi, vice grand; J. L. Walker, secretary; Hope V. Tarver, treasurer; Clyde Pohl and R. L. Gabriel, representatives and C. M. Peters and J. T. Deal, alternates.

Clyde Pohl was recommended as district deputy grand master of Ouachita lodge No. 2.

Fort Miro encampment No. 15, I. O. O. F. of Monroe, have elected the following officers: J. L. Walker, chief patriarch; R. L. Gabriel, high priest; Clyde Pohl, senior warden; H. M. Moak, junior warden; W. H. Ricks, scribe; Cal Peters, treasurer.

J. C. Liles was named representative to the grand encampment with Leonard Southerland alternate and J. T. Deal, district grand patriarch.

WILLIAMS HEADS KNIGHTS PYTHIAS

Stonewall Lodge No. 8, Knights of Pythias, elected the following officers fc the next six months at their Friday night meeting. The rank of page was also given to a large class. Officers elected will be installed on January 3 next. They are as follows:

M. C. Williams, chancellor commander; Lonnie Blake, vice-chancellor; W. M. Banister, prelate; A. L. Gresham, master of W. A.; Eugene Shows, keeper of record and seal; J. Arthur Smith, master of finance; Donald S. Quinn, master of exchequer; William W. Sullivan, M. A.; W. W. Thompson, inner guard; and Homer Chilton, outer guard.

The election for the House of Representatives for the grand lodge to be held in Castle Hall, May, 1947, is as follows: Representatives — A. L. Gresham, A. J. Lester, J. Arthur Smith and Donald S. Quinn. The alternates are: W. L. (Bill) Rothermel, Dr. F. C. Shelton, M. G. Moore and J. J. Burroughs.

The regular meeting of Stonewall Lodge No. 8 will meet next Thursday at 7:30 p.m. when the rank of esquire will be conferred. Refreshments will be served.

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Sealed bids will be received until 2 p. m. C. S. T. Friday, December 27, 1946, at the office of F. E. Bates, Regional Chief, Administrative Services Division, Farmers Home Administration, 319 Waldon Bldg., Little Rock, Ark.

PPP Announces Opening

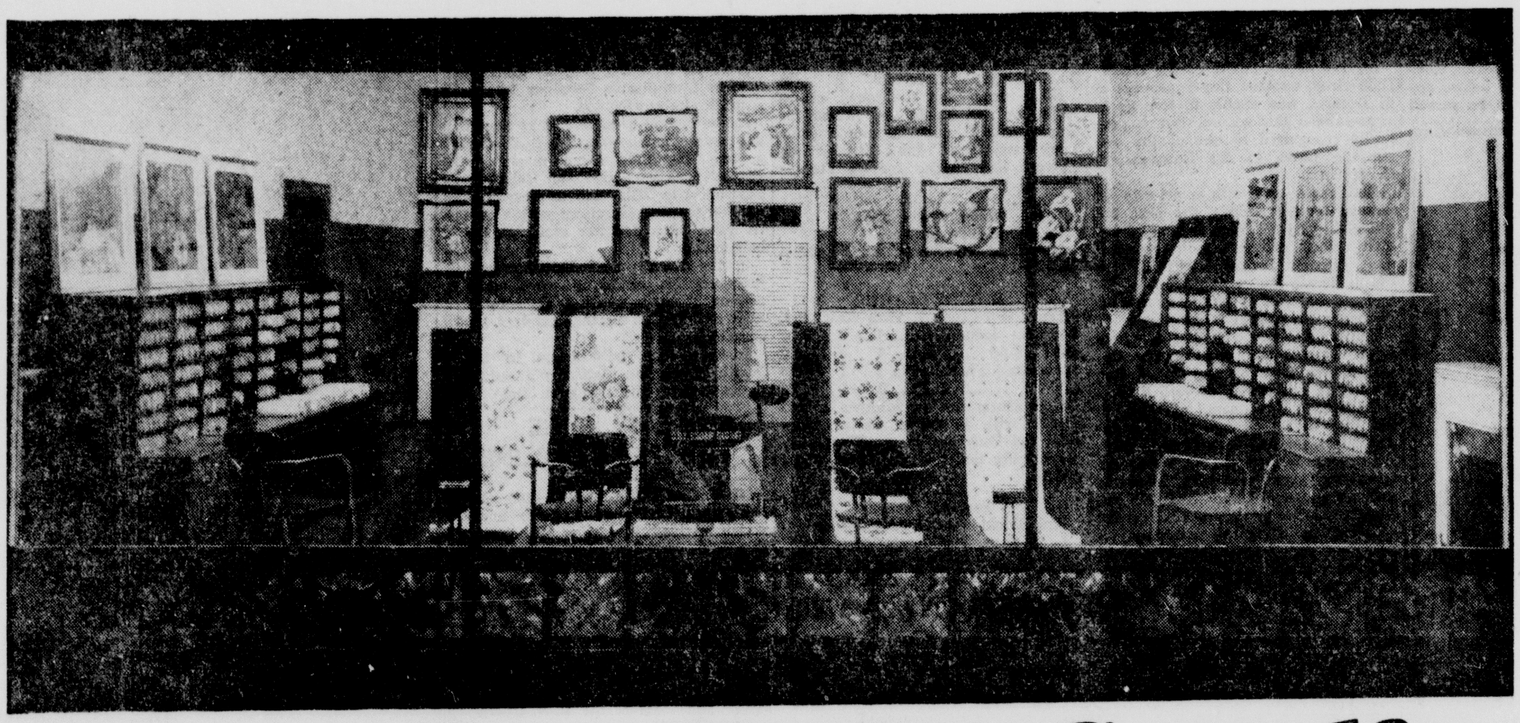
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CAGE TOURNEY IS SCHEDULED HERE

Junior College To Be Host To Annual Event On February 7-8

Northeast Junior College will play host to high school cage teams throughout this area for the ninth year when they meet for the annual invitational basketball tournament on February 7 and 8.

Invitations will be mailed in January, according to A. S. Huffman, head of the local college's department of health and physical education which is sponsoring the activity. The program was revived last year after war had put a stop temporarily to the project which had called for some of the finest basketball talent in this section of the state.

Mr. Huffman and Miss Ada Bess Hart, director of health and physical education for women at N. J. C., will have charge of the boys' and girls' games respectively.

Members of the Women's Athletic Association at the college will likely handle the officiating of the girls' games with the probable exception of some nationally rated officials off the campus. Officials for boy's teams probably will be athletes enrolled at N. J. C., according to custom.

Tentative plans call for girls' games being played in the college gymnasium. Preliminary boys' games are scheduled in the gymnasiums at Ouachita Parish High School and Louisiana Training Institute. All semi-finals and finals are to be played at the college.

Winners in the last tourney held in early February were the Baskin High School girls and the Ogden High School boys. It was the second time for the trophy to be captured by the Baskin girls with Miss Willie Edna "Tiny" Tarbutton as coach. Baskin beat Chatham in the finals, 39 to 34. Coach Elmer Hatton's Ogden team defeated Quitman in the finals with a score of 23 to 18.

OUACHITA QUINTET TO MEET CALHOUN

The Ouachita Parish High School Lions play their second basketball game of the season next Tuesday night when they meet the Calhoun High School quintet at the Ouachita gym here. The game will start at 8 p. m.

The Lions opened their season against Oak Ridge last week and dropped a close game. However, Coach Holliman announced Saturday that Ernest "Buster" King, stellar forward, would be available for at least a part of the game against Calhoun Tuesday night, and that should bolster the Lions' chances for victory. King, who was out of action for the Oak Ridge game because of an injury suffered in the final football game of the season for Ouachita, was one of the leading scorers for the Lions last season and if he is in his usual form Tuesday, he should contribute a number of points to the Ouachita cause.

Calhoun is said to have all but one of its squad members of 1945-46 back for the current campaign, and should provide plenty of opposition for the local quintet.

SUGAR BOWL TEAMS TO TRAIN ON GULF COAST

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 7.—(AP)—The Sugar Bowl football teams will train on the Mississippi coast, Sam Corenswet, president of the Sugar Bowl, announced today.

North Carolina will make headquarters at the Edgewater Gulf Hotel, Edgewater, Miss., and use the nearby Gulf Coast Military Academy practice field.

The University of Georgia team, which meets North Carolina in the New Year's day game at New Orleans, will have headquarters at the Beuna Vista Hotel in Biloxi, and practice on the Biloxi High School field.

The teams are expected to depart for their training camps on Christmas night, the Tarheels traveling by plane and Georgia Bulldogs by train.

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ARKANSAS CAN'T LOSE IN COTTON BOWL GRID BATTLE

There Are Seven Razorbacks Playing On Louisiana State Eleven

BATON ROUGE, La., Dec. 7.—(Special)—There's going to be a lot of Arkansas represented at the Cotton Bowl on New Year's day—and, win or lose, the Razorback region should get more individual recognition than its formidable opponent—the Bayou Bengals of Louisiana State.

That's because seven members of the high-powered team from Tigertown hail from Arkansas—but that home-state sentiment won't have any effect on the playing prowess of the Pelican State converts—not with the Cotton Bowl crown at stake.

Seven outstanding reasons why the Tigers have enjoyed their most successful season in a decade are Ends Ray Bullock and Mel Lyle, Guard Wren Worley, and Halfback Dale Gray, all from El Dorado; Tackle Fred Land and Halfback Carroll Griffith, from North Little Rock; and End Sam Coots from Little Rock.

Of the seven, Worley and Land are first-string performers on the Bengal array, while Bullock and Lyle alternate at the starting terminal posts. Gray, handicapped by an ailing leg injury for most of the season, is generally recognized as one of the best all-round backs on the squad, while Griffith and Coots have seen less duty than their Arkansas teammates, but show potentialities of playing much ball for the Bernie Moore juggernaut next season.

Worley, who recently was named first-team guard on the All-Southeastern Conference eleven, as selected by the Associated Press, has been one of the main cogs in the Tiger machine this season. Also honored with All-America mention, he has been one of the most consistent linemen ever to don purple and gold grid armor, and will be an outstanding candidate for first-string All-American honors next season.

A 1942 graduate of El Dorado High, where he scored All-State honors as a hard hitting guard for Coach Guy B. Hayes, Worley played first-string side-center here as a freshman before enlisting in the army where he served for 34 months. During his tenure as a corporal, he played football for the 526th Armored Infantry at Frankfort, Germany, and for the ETO in a Bowl game on the French Riviere last New Year's day.

One of the top-notch linemen in the south will start the Arkansas-L. S. U. game at right tackle when big Fred Land of north Little Rock takes over the spot he has held for three consecutive years. Captain and All-State choice of his 1942 north Little Rock eleven, the husky junior has been a bulwark in the forward wall for his Tigers, and this season was given prominent recognition on several "All" teams for his defensive play and blocking prowess.

A pair of outstanding ends, Ray Bullock and Mel Lyle, are two of the Tiger's most potent scoring threats. Both hailing from El Dorado, and former students of Skipper Hayes, Bullock and Lyle each have come through in the clutch, catching passes when needed, and scoring touchdowns when necessary.

Bullock, whose brother, Farris, played for L. S. U. in 1944, and who now performs for Army at West Point, is one of the best all-round ends on the Bengal squad. When most needed, he caught a Tittle pass against Ole Miss and scored a deciding touchdown, one which put the game on ice for the Tigers.

A paratrooper during the war, Bullock served in the campaigns of Central Germany, the Ardennes, and Central France. He holds seven combat jumps to his credit, and wears the purple heart, having been wounded in the Battle of Bastogne by mortar shell fragments.

Lyle, whom End Coach Gaynell Tinsley predicts will be an All-American before graduation in 1949, is the outstanding pass receiver on the squad. Twice this season he electrified crowds with "shoestring" coaches, both resulting in touchdowns. And he scored touchdowns, vie ariels, in Texas A. & M., Fordham, and traditional-rival Tulane contests.

Injured at the outset of the season, Dale Gray, another Hayes product at El Dorado, was unable to live up to expectations this season, but is generally recognized as one of the best running backs in the Southeastern Conference.

Fast, agile, and with a priority on natural football ability, the lithe but swivel-hipped halfback is one of the main reasons prospects look bright for next season's Bengal backfield, and Coach Bernie Moore might unveil the talented tailback to Arkansas patrons attending the Cotton Bowl classic.

Griffith and Coots, neither of whom were used to any great extent this season, are both on tap for Cotton Bowl duty ,and should do well if used.

Griffith, a first-team halfback on the Tiger's 1944 Orange Bowl championship team, has been slow in coming through this season, but has shown spasmodic signs of taking over the fullback duties of Gene "Red" Knight, when the latter graduates next spring.

Coots, an elongated wingman, is possessed with outstanding attributes, but needs much more experience before breaking into the "regular" array of Tiger terminals.

NORTH CAROLINA SHORT OF SUGAR BOWL DUCATS

CHAPEL HILL, N. C., Dec. 7.—(AP)—There are no Sugar Bowl tickets available here.

Athletic officials at the University of North Carolina who thought their ticket worries for the year were over when the Carolina-Duke game became history, are nursing the worst headache they have ever had.

For only 3500 Sugar Bowl tickets were alloted to the university and applications far exceed that number.

The applications began coming in even before an invitation had been issued to the university to participate in the classic. When the formal bid came last Saturday the requests began to pour in. By Sunday they reached the proportions of an avalanche and everybody connected with athletics—and many not so connected—were swamped with requests from relatives, friends and people they hadn't heard from in 20 years.

Tonight the athletic officials, peering from beneath sheafs of letters and telegrams made a plea: "Please do not send any more applications for ducats. There are none to be had."

TWIN MAIN EVENT SLATED AT ARENA

Stratton Meets Aguayo, McGee Tackles Yaqui Joe In Mat Features

A wrestling card which should provide plenty of entertainment for mat fans here has been arranged as a double main event program at Gus Kallio's arena for next Thursday night.

In one bout, Walter Stratton, known as the "Chicago Strong Boy," will meet Francisco Auguayo, tough Mexican performer. In the other match, "Irish" Mike McGee will tangle with Yaqui Joe, an Indian from Sonora, Mexico.

Stratton will be making his first appearance here. He is famed for his strength, having been recently publicized in Ripley's Believe It or Not for having set two records in weight lifting. He is said to be a clean, scientific wrestler. He will be meeting a rough-house artist in Auguayo, who figured in the riot at Kallio's emporium a couple of weeks ago. The Mexican aroused the ire of the fans in attempting to help his partner after a tag team brawl, and he was mauled considerably before he escaped to safer quarters.

McGee was a winner in a semi-final match here last week but what he can do against Yaqui Joe is something else again. Joe hasn't shown here for quite a spell, but veteran fans will remember him from 'way back. The Indian has been one of the roughest, toughest grapplers ever to show in the local ring and there's no indication that he has changed his tactics. McGee, on the other hand, usually behaves himself.

The time limit on both matches will be an hour and 15 minutes, Kallio announced. As usual, it will take two falls to win. The referee will be Bill Barney, and the first match will start at 8 p. m.

RECREATION LEAGUE

CITY LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Red Shield	1	0	1.000
Exchange Club	1	0	1.000
Haddad Bros.	1	0	1 000
Graves & Cummins	1	0	1.000
American Legion	0	1	.000
Unique Cleaners	0	1	.000
Howard Bros.	0	1	.000
Policemen	0	1	.000

High scorer for the week was Hardin for Haddad Bros. with 18 points. He was being pressed by Gravre for Red Shield with 15 points and Johnson of Exchange Club with 13 points.

Friday Games

American Legion vs. Policemen.
Red Shield vs. Haddad Bros.
Exchange Club vs. Unique Cleaners.
Graves and Cummins vs. American Legion.

JUNIOR LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Ouachita Cubs	2	0	1.000
L. T. I.	1	1	.500
Spatafora's	1	1	.500
1st Baptist	1	1	.500
Red Shield	1	1	.500
Key Club	0	2	.000

High scorer for the Junior League is Goodwin for the Cubs and George for the Red Shield with 16 points. Roberts is 2nd with 13 points and Wilkins for L. T. I., is 3rd with 12 points.

Monday Games

L. T. I. vs. Key Club.
Spatafora's vs. Red Shield.
Ouachita Cubs vs. 1st Baptist.

Thursday Games

L. T. I. vs. Spatafora's.
Ouachita Cubs vs. Red Shield.
Key Club vs. 1st Baptist.

GIRLS' LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Guerriero Ins.	1	0	1.000
Nurses	1	0	1.000
Red Shield	0	1	.000
So. Bell Tel.	0	1	.000

High scorer for the week shows Aplin for Red Shield and Adams for Southern Bell with 13 points each. They are being hard pushed by Thomas and Harper for St. Francis Nurses.

Wednesday Games

Red Shield vs. Nurses.
Guerriero Insurance vs. Southern Bell.

MIDGET LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Ouachita Jeeps	1	0	1.000
Red Shield	1	0	1.000
Spatafora's Pharmacy	0	1	.000
L. T. I.	0	1	.000

High scorer for the Midgets is Bob Carter with 8 points. Carter plays with the Ouachita Jeeps. Five other players are tied for 2nd place with 4 points.

Tuesday Games

Red Shield vs. Ouachita Jeeps.
L. T. I. vs. Spatafora's Pharmacy.

OLE MISS CAGE SQUAD DEFEATS SOUTHWESTERN

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Dec. 7.—(AP)—Led by Center Harold Kelly, who hit the baskets for 29 points, the University of Mississippi basketball team thundered over Southwestern's Lynx 74 to 34 here tonight. Ole Miss led 35 to 14 at the half.

Southwestern's attack revolved around Forward Judd Williford, who contributed 11 of his team's markers. But after the first few minutes of the game, the Lynx were never able to match the roaring pace set by the Rebels.

MAROONS ROMP TO WIN OVER HOWARD, 55 TO 32

STARKVILLE, Miss., Dec. 7.—(AP)—Mississippi State's basketeers broke into the win column in the second contest of the season tonight by defeating Howard University of Birmingham, Ala., 55-32.

The first half was rather close, with the Maroons leading 22-19 at half time, but from there on State set the pace.

It was the second loss this season for Howard which last night fell before Delta State Teachers College at Cleveland, Miss.

SPORTS ROUND UP

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7—(AP)—British golf Pros. are wondering whether they can afford to send a Ryder cup team to the United States next summer, what with the high cost of living, currency restrictions and a treasury depleted by the war . . . It really is something to wonder about . . . in pre-war days, it was possible to send a golf team abroad at a cost of about $1,000 per man. This year estimates obtained by the U. S. Golf Association for next summer's Walker Cup tour to England are around $1,250. For a nine-man team, (the usual number) the cost will run about $14,000, with some incidental expenses, as compared to the $9,380 it cost in 1938 . . . Ryder Cup expenses probably would be about the same and none of it comes back at the gate . . . Maybe the PGA should sign up George May to stage the matches, take the case and to heck with dignity.

It Says Here

Buck O'Neill, the trotting horse tub thumper, relays this year told by Bi. Shively, veteran reinsman . . . when Bi was a young fellow, he was riding running horses at a fair in Missouri . . . another jock who didn't get his horse away was complaining about the starter and remarked: "I'd like to punch him in the nose" . . "I wouldn't do it," an old groom told the kid, "that starter is Frank James." . . . Shively claims that his love of horses proved there must have been some good in the famous outlaw, but isn't "bandit" a comparatively soft term when race drivers talk about starters?

Sportspourri

Red Rolfe, who apparently is out as a Yankee coach, may turn up as pilot of the Toronto Huskies in the basketball Association of America, the club Ed Sadowski recently quit . . . Red taught basketball as well as baseball at Yale . . . During the first month of the BBAA season, Providence's Ernie Calverly, known as a fireball basket-shooter, outdistanced all rivals by collecting 40 assists . . . Glass Bowl game at Toledo today is the first at which the winner actually will receive a bowl. A glass bowl, of course, but no goldfish . . . Incidentally, the Toledo team in that bowl game will wear jerseys borrowed from Michigan because during the regular season Bates wore the same color, white.

Weak end Items

If the Redskins whip the giants tomorrow and gain a tie for the Eastern Division title in the National Football League, it will be the second between those clubs in four years and only the third deadlock in league history. No wonder Steve Owen says he'll resign if there's a playoff . . . Foresighted: roughly two years before Michigan State's new 50,000 seat football stadium is scheduled for completion, Sports Editor Bill Knodt, Jr., of the Bay City, Mich., Times sent in a request for a pass box reservation . . . And how about a good spot at the 1950 Army-Notre Dame game?

JESUIT WINS GRID TITLE AT ORLEANS

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 7.—(AP)—Jesuits Blue Jays swept to the New Orleans schoolboy football title today with a thumping 27-6 decision over Warren Easton's Eagles.

The victory was Jesuit's tenth win of the season in as many starts and marked the sixth time that Coach Gernon Brown's teams have captured the Prep crown since he took over the reins at Jesuits in 1933.

The victory qualified the Jays to meet Istrouma of Baton Rouge next week for the south Louisiana crown, the winner to meet Jennings for Louisiana's mythical schoolboy championship.

A 34 yard passing play in the first quarter from Jesuits Pettitbon to Roy Ward broke scoring ice.

In the second quarter Jesuits scored two more touchdowns, the first after a long downfield drive carried to Easton's one yard line and Caballero Lateralled to Villavasco to score. Later Pettitbon hit Caballero with a seven yard pitch for the other as the half ended.

In the third period Pettitbon unlimbered his chunking arm, again passing 37 yards to Hugh Oser for a score and Jesuits scoring was done for the day.

Easton's lone tally came in the fourth when Don Mattingly raced 25 yards to cross the Jay goal line.

ITALIAN RACE HORSE CLEARED AT ORLEANS

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 7.—(AP)—Ortello, the famous Italian race horse which arrived here Nov. 22 aboard the S. S. Highflyer, has been given clearance for his entry papers.

And Bill Strmmel, in charge of the $60,000 thoroughbred said "I came to New Orleans to spend two hours and ended up spending two weeks."

The horse is to be used for breeding purposes.

The hitch came when customs officials and those of the U. S. Bureau of Animal Industry requested the papers, including the certificate of pure breeding.

A thoroughbred used for improving stock is admitted duty free, while a heavy duty is imposed on a non-thoroughbred.

When the search started it developed that all concerned thought someone else had attended to the papers. But finally Stremmel communicated with Ortello's former owner, Commendatore Gallina of Turin, Italy, it was discovered that the papers had been forwarded directly to California.

Permission thne was granted by the Bureau of Animal Industry for Ortello to be shipped under government bond to California, where he may prove his pure-bloodedness.

JUNIOR COLLEGE FOOTBALL

At Laurel, Miss.—Raymond Junior College 20; Ellisville Junior College 19.

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

At Starkville, Miss.—Mississippi State 55; Howard University 32.

FORFAR WINNER OF ORLEANS HANDICAP

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 7.—(AP)—After a gruelling struggle in the stretch, Forfar, three-year-old gelding of Rusty stable, won the $2,500 Baton Rouge handicap by a head here this afternoon after wearing down B. Gofelson's Petsome before 8,873 cheering fans.

Petsome set the pace, with Forfar close to her heels but in the stretch Forfar responded to the hand riding of J. Paradise and slowly but surely wore down the filly. Shako, favorite in the race, finished fourth, being eliminated by a poor start.

Forfar paid $6 for $2.

Mrs. F. Nugent's Espino Gold and Bengal Boy, owned by J. A. Kinard, Jr., won the two sections of the Biloxi purse, six furlong dashes that were secondary features.

Espino Gold came from behind to win over Catchweista, owned by Mrs. Al Gaal, with the favored Harvey's Pal, of Elite Stud Farm, third.

In the second division Bengal Boy won handily over a big field, leading B. F. Whitaker's Half Brother home by half a dozen lengths. Islam Prince, the favorite, was third.

Espino Gold paid $9.20 for $2 and Bengal Boy $7.80 for $2.

The crowd bet $339,523 today to bring the total for the season to date to $2,007,050.

GEORGIANS AT HAMMOND

HAMMOND, La., Dec. 7—(AP)—The Tipton, Ga., football team which won its high school district championship last night, has been selected to play in the Strawberry Bowl game here. The Georgia squad will meet the Bogalusa high Yellow Jackets next Friday.

TULANE PREPARES FOR SOUTHERN CAL BATTLE

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 7.—(AP)—Tulane University's Green Wave and the Southern California Trojans, with the score all even in two previous games, meet here Dec. 21 in their third engagement.

The Trojans defeated Tulane in the Rose Bowl in 1932 and Tulane took the game in 1942 when Tulane went to California.

Both teams should be in top shape physically for the renewal of their series here, since it is a post-season game with plenty time to prepare.

Coach Henry Frnka of Tulane called his players back for two days of light practice this week-end, after a lay-off from the hard Tulane-L. S. U. game the past week.

Practice will begin in earnest the coming week.

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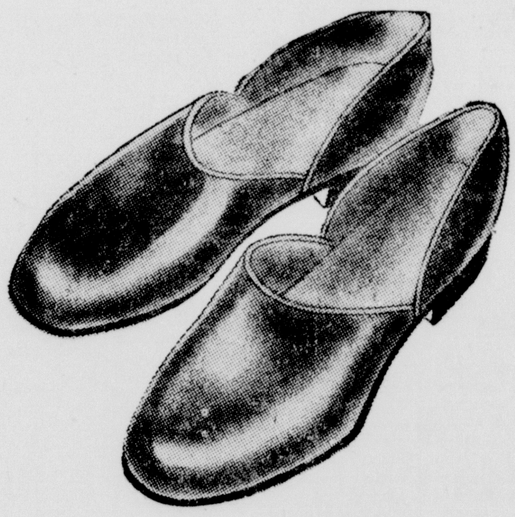
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FORMER PLAYERS BANQUET GUESTS

Optimist Club To Honor Coach Malone At Dinner Thursday Night

Several outstanding players of past football teams of Northeast Junior College will be guests of honor at the banquet given for Coach Jim Malone at the Optimist Club of Greater Monroe at Hotel Frances next Thursday night, it was announced Saturday.

The banquet will be in recognition of the record Coach Malone has made at the junior college since he became football coach and later athletic director.

The former stars listed as honor guests are: Sam Dunlap, 1934; Clyde Nash, 1935; Reuben McKellar, 1936; Herbert Holliman, 1937; Edwin "Pop" Walker, 1938; Leon Apgar, 1939; Guy Seivers, 1940; Tommy Sands, 1941; Jim Doyle, 1942; Stanley Passman, 1943; Jim Perry, 1944; Raymond Henry, 1945, and the entire team of 1946. Perry is in a hospital with a broken leg but he said he hoped "to make it."

Under Malone's tutelage, the Indians have won 67 games, lost 32 and tied eight from 1934 through 1946. Against four-year colleges, Northeast has won 31 games, lost 12 and tied four. The year-by-year record is as follows: 1934, won 6, lost 3, tied 1; 1935, in which year the Indians won the national junior college championship, won 8, lost none, tied none; 1936, won 4, lost 4, tied 1; 1937, in which they were the highest scoring team in the nation with 344 points, won 8, lost none, tied 1; 1938, won 6, lost 3, tied 1; 1939, won 7, lost 3; 1940, won 6, lost 2, tied 1; 1941, won 5, lost 2, tied 1; 1942, won 5, lost 3; 1943, won 2, lost 2; 1944, won 2, lost 1, tied 2; 1945, won 5, lost 2, and was Southern champion; 1946, won 2, lost 7, for its most disastrous season.

Coach Malone said he attributed his success as a coach to his close relationship between him and his players. He said his home has always been open to his players.

SYRACUSE BOXERS MEET NORTH CAROLINA TEAM

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 7.—(AP)—The boxing teams of Syracuse University and the University of North Carolina were announced today as the participants in the annual Sugar Bowl boxing meet, a feature of the mid-winter week of sports here.

The boxing event will be held at the municipal auditorium on Friday night, Dec. 27, Wilmer Simpson, Jr., chairman of the Sugar Bowl boxing committee, said.

These teams are rated as two of the top collegiate ring teams. Syracuse, coached by Roy Simmons, boasts five eastern inter-collegiate champions.

The strong North Carolina team has engagements on its current schedule with Virginia, Army and other highly-rated teams.

Other Sugar Bowl events include an invitation tennis tournament, Dec. 27, 28 and 29; outdoor track meet, Dec. 28 and a double header basketball attraction on Dec. 30, when Oklahoma A. & M. plays Kentucky; and Louisiana State meets Tulane University.

STAGG RESIGNS POST AS PACIFIC COLLEGE COACH

STOCKTON, Calif., Dec. 7.—(AP)—Amos Alonzo Stagg, at 84, the grand old man of American football, today resigned his football coaching post at the College of Pacific rather than accept the less active position of "consultant in athletics."

Even as the college announced his resignation with expressions of regret and praise for his 14 years of coaching at COP, Stagg disclosed he had accepted an offer to become advisory coach at Susquehanna University in Selingsgrove, Pa.

It will be a father and son combination at Susquehanna, where Stagg will work with Amos, Jr., who is head football coach and professor of education at the Pennsylvania institution.

WALTER JOHNSON NEAR DEATH AT WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7—(AP)—Walter Johnson, 59-year-old "Big Train" of baseball fame, battled for life today after a sudden turn for the worse in his condition.

He suffered a relapse last night and was "decidedly worse today," Georgetown Hospital reported.

He had been unconscious since yesterday afternoon, and last night experienced great difficulty in breathing, hospital authorities said.

His breathing was a little calmer today, but his condition was still grave.

Johnson, a former Washington Senators pitching star, entered the hospital last April for treatment of a brain tumor.

SOUTHEASTERN QUINTET TO PLAY AT BOGALUSA

HAMMOND, La., Dec. 7—(AP)—Southeastern Louisiana College will open its basketball season at Bogalusa Monday night when it meets the Bogalusa Gaylords.

Practice began this week with 26 men reporting for tryouts.

The Lions have scheduled 20 matches with Louisiana, Mississippi and Alabama teams After opening with the semi-pro Gaylords Monday, Coach Clyde Funderbuck will take on the Ethyls at Harding Field Tuesday night and Saturday will play hosts in a return game.

2 TRADES HIGHLIGHT CLOSING SESSION OF BASEBALL MEET

Leonard Goes To Phillies, Lopez To Cleveland In Major Deals

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 7.—(AP)—The Philadelphia Phillies purchased veteran Pitcher Dutch Leonard from Washington and Pittsburgh obtained Outfielder Gene Woodling from Cleveland in a swap for Catcher Al Lopez in two trades which highlighted the close today of the annual winter baseball meetings.

Further details in setting up a player pension plan were agreed upon as the two major league owners sat in joint session with Commissioner A. B. Chandler.

Leonard, knuckle ball star for the Senators since 1938, was purchased outright for an undisclosed sum of cash. The 36-year-old twirler won 10 and lost 10 last season and has a lifetime major league record for 136 victories and 124 losses. He gained the spotlight on the closing day of the 1944 campaign when he shut out the Detroit Tigers, which insured the St. Louis Browns winning the American League pennant.

Leonard, a 200-pound, 6 foot, 1 inch tall, had an earned run average last season of 3.56.

Lopez, mainstay of the Pirate catching department for a long time, goes to Cleveland on a straight trade. Woodling, 26, hit only .188 in 61 games with Cleveland last season but was viewed as a promising batter off his previous accomplishments in the minor leagues, notably the Eastern League. He is a left hand batter.

A permanent committee from the two majors will be set up to guide the pension plan. Each club will put up $250 a year for each qualified player and the players will match the amount from their own pockets. The leagues guaranteed use of money for the radio rights of the World Series which last season amounted to $175,000, and guaranteed all net proceeds of the annual All-Star game.

As it stands now the opening pension kitty will amount to $395,000. The players, represented by Dixie Walker and Johnny Murphy, hope to raise the amount to total $675,000, which would enable a player to retire at the age of 45 years and with at least 10 years service at the major leagues, at $100 a month.

Further details in the operation remain to be ironed out.

The major leagues announced that selection of players for the annual all-star game would be made in a nationwide poll of fans under the supervision of the Chicago Tribune. Every other newspaper and radio station throughout the country that desires may participate. The managers of the two teams will be allowed to select the starting pitchers but otherwise the players receiving the highest number of votes for each position will compose the starting lineups.

The game will be played at Wrigley Field in Chicago July 8. Selection of players for the all-star game was originally made through a poll of fans but in recent years has been made by managers.

The major leagues formally approved an unlimited number of night games requiring only the permission of the visiting team in each case.

Bramham's successor, George Trautman of Columbus, O., who will assume the National Association presidency next month for a five year term, promises the crackdown on gambling will mount in force "until it is driven completely out of our game."

And High Commissioner A. B. (Happy) Chandler, bossman of baseball, again give a booming pledge of support from his office, when and where it is necessitated. Chandler, in earlier statements, had declared that in his more than a year's occupancy of the commissioner not a single trace of evidence of gambling within the two major leagues had been found.

The major leagues laid the groundwork for an ultimate pension plan for players. It will be the first uniform project of its kind in the lengthy history of the sport.

A bonus scale setting a maximum in all leagues for the signing of free agents was approved. Under it, major league clubs will be limited to a payment of $6,000 to a player, with the bonuses ranging down to $800 for Class D and E circuits.

The present player draft terms were kept in effect. Miami, Fla., formally bid for the 1947 minor league meeting through its baseball delegate, the site of the meeting is picked by an executive committee and the Florida city's invitation was the only one officially extended.

A seven-man arbitration board, headed by Chandler, was authorized to determine what amount of damages, if any, should be paid in the event a major league club wished to transfer or buy a franchise in minor league territory.

MIKE JACOBS REMAINS IN CRITICAL CONDITION

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—(AP)—Boxing Promoter Mike Jacobs remained "very critically ill" after suffering a mid-day heart attack today but Dr. Vincent Nardiello, his personal physician, said he has "responded to treatment."

Dr. Nardiello revealed the nature of the attack that had prompted him to issue an earlier bulletin that the promoter had "taken a turn for the worse."

A late afternoon statement by Dr. Nardiello at St. Clare's Hospital where the 66-year-old fight magnate was taken Tuesday, said:

"Mr. Jacobs has responded to treatment. He still is very critically ill."

GRAYSON'S SCOREBOARD

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By Harry Grayson
(NEA Service Sports Editor)

NEW YORK.—(NEA)—John I. Day and Tom R. Underwood dedicated their new book, "Call Me Horse," to the "boys in the press box, who fell down on the job only once."

"Call Me Horse" is a 120-page, navy blue-bound volume of interesting, humorous and informative notes and anecdotes about racing, breeding and people associated in the industry.

It was 'way back in 1886, June 7, to be exact, that the press fell down literally covering the historic Eclipse Stakes won by Miss Woodford in St. Louis. As the race started part of the enormous crowd broke into the press box the better to see Miss Woodford become the first thoroughbred to pass the $100,000 mark in earnings—and the whole thing caved in with a crash. They were digging turf reporters and spectators out of the debris as the horses passed the finish line.

"What is meant by heart in a race horse," says a paragraph, "is exemplified by the case of a gelding named The Right Knight, which some years ago bobbled and almost went down in a steeplechase in Ireland. He completed five more jumps and the race, walked 18 miles to his stable. It was not discovered till the horse died shortly after that he had fractured his spine when he bobbled at that fence.

There's the story about the late Sam Hildreth, quick on the draw but not much of a hunter. Hildreth was on a hunting trip with a party of turfmen in Arkansas, when a deer broke cover and came racing in his direction. Instead of raising his rifle, the fabled trainer of Harry F. Sinclair's famous Rancocas Stable pulled out his stop-watch.

Frequently in steeplechasing many start and few finish, so Underwood and Day write that the judges at Melton Mowbray, England, were surprised but not pleased a few years ago to find an extra horse finishing in the Leicestershire Hunt Steeplechase.

It developed that Mrs. Leopold Partridge had been watching the race on her hunter. Enthusiasm got the better of her as her husband's Phantom Queen led the first time around. She entered the course, joined in for the second lap, finished third, was fined 10 pounds for what Lord Lonsdale termed a monstrous intrusion.

Naturally, there's an anecdote about Uncle Henry McDaniel. One morning in 1918 at Saratoga a harmless pest sought to show off pretended familiarity and knowledge before some guests. He approached McDaniel, then training for the late Willis Sharpe Kilmer, and said, airily: "Really, Mr. McDaniel, I don't see how Sun Briar can run with those ring bones."

Uncle Henry immediately recognizing the man's motive, remarked: "Oh, when he runs a race I take them off."

The book is published by Coward-McCann, Inc. ($2) and illustrated by Leonard A. Romagna. The editors did the excellent job you'd expect of them. They were eminently qualified for the task. Tom Underwood is the renowned editor of the Herald-Leader of Lexington, in the heart of the Blue Grass country. John Day grew up in racing. Son of a widely-known racing writer and official, he wrote of racing mighty well before joining the service bureau of the Thoroughbred Racing Association.

You learn about horses from them.

POST-SEASON GRID GAMES ARE LISTED

NEW YORK, Dec. 7—(AP)—Here's the lineup of the remaining post-season football games, showing the wontied-lost records of the competing teams:

Tobacco Bowl at Lexington, Ky.; St. Bonaventure (6-0-1) vs. Muhlenberg (8-0-1).

December 21—

Optimist Bowl at Houston, Tex.: North Texas State (6-1-3) vs. College of the Pacific (4-0-6).

December 28—

Blue-Gray game at Montgomery, Ala.: Northern Collegiate All-Stars vs. Southern Collegiate All-Stars.

January 1—

Rose Bowl at Pasadena, Calif.: Illinois (7-0-2) vs. U.C.L.A. (10-0-0).

Sugar Bowl at New Orleans: Georgia (10-0-0) vs. North Carolina (8-1-1).

Cotton Bowl at Dallas, Tex.: Arkansas (6-1-3) vs. Louisiana State (9-0-1).

Oil Bowl at Houston, Tex.: Georgia Tech (8-0-2) vs. St. Mary's (6-0-2).

Bowl at Elpaso, Tex.: Virginia Tech (3-3-3) vs. Cincinnati (8-0-2)—(Cincinnati has not accepted formally).

Alamo Bowl at San Antonio, Tex.: Hardin-Simmons (10-0-0) vs. X-Denver (5-1-3).

X-one regularly scheduled game left to play.

COLORED HIGH TO PLAY BOGALUSA TEAM FRIDAY

M. H. Carroll, principal of the Monroe Colored High School, announced Friday that the Monroe Bulldogs hold the North Louisiana AA Championship football title, and will compete next Friday at Neville stadium, at 8 o'clock against Bogalusa High School for the state championship.

The Bulldogs have played Bogalusa twice, only to be defeated by a small margin. This time they expect to do better in their own back yard.

They are coached by Sam Burns, who was captain of the national champion basketball team of Southern University in the early forty's.

There has been a lot of interest in the past games and a large crowd is expected to turn out to witness this one.

K. OF C. GAME SLATED

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 7.—(AP)—High of Donaldsonville and the Re-Catholic High of Donaldsonville and the Redemptorist Rams of New Orleans will meet in the annual Knights of Columbus Christmas fund football bowl game at Behrman Memorial stadium in Algiers, Dec. 15, Grand Knight Mike Donner of the Algiers organization, has announced.

VICTIMS

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and bedclothes dangled from many windows.

Body after body hurtled down through the chill pre-dawn darkness. Some landed in outstretched lifenets, some struck the pavement with sickening thuds. One woman's body struck a wire or rope, just above the marquee, spun crazily and momentarily the victim was suspended by the neck. She thrashed once and fell the remaining few feet.

From as high up as the eleventh floor, some of the 285 ill-fated guests plummeted to their death in crazed fear. Another woman on the seventh floor clasped her hands as if in prayer, bowed her head for a moment and then fixed a stare skyward.

A young girl at the next window wriggled feet-first over the ledge and started down a sheet-rope. Catlike, braced against the building, she began descending to an aerial ladder two floors below. Suddenly she lost her footing and, dangling, her body swayed and slowly turned in the light of flames lapping at her feet. Then she hurtled groundward. Her body hit the marquee awning with a resounding smack.

Another body landed squarely on a fireman slowly descending a ladder with a woman victim. All three fell the several floors to the marquee. The women were killed and the fireman, Jack Burnham, gravely injured.

From the seventh floor a woman threw two children—a boy of about seven and a girl of four or five—and then plunged after them. Of the three, only the boy moved, after they struck the sidewalk. He stirred once, pathetically, and lay still.

I made a dash for the hotel entrance, barely reaching it as a body flopped at my feet. Hearing that many guests were jumping from the windows in the rear of the hotel, into an alley, I ran around the corner and started up the alley. My foot caught on something and I sprawled, sliding through the water.

Regaining my feet I saw an elderly man, mumbling incoherently while trying vainly to lift the body of a woman of about the same age. Other bodies were strewn along the alley—fully a dozen.

I ran back to the front of the building. The steady wail of approaching ambulances and every available piece of firefighting equipment in the city and suburbs, lent an eerie feeling to the spectacle. The bone-chilling screams of women victims as they hurtled through the night was awful, and terrifying. It left me limp and sick at heart.

It reminded one of an air raid, like the shrill scream of a falling shell—and then the heart rending, thick-sounding thud. Over and over it came, rising in crescendo. Then suddenly it was all over, except for the man-made noises below. A dozen or so of those in the windows had elected to await rescue. Finally it came, after nearly four hours of hell.

Later firemen, Red Cross workers and newsmen entered the gutted building. Dead, some of them without a mark or trace of the fire, were found on every floor. A mother and her three small children were found dead, huddled in a bathroom. Under the shower in another room, a man, a woman and two tots were slumped in death.

Five of 50 Hi-Y girls from Georgia were found, suffocated, in one room. An aged couple. The man in a chair, half-dressed, the woman in bed, was discovered in another room. Still another room gave up the bodies of a man and a small boy, tightly clasped in each other's arms.

Nothing could be more fearful than those and other indescribable similar sights.

A metal grillwork of some type, much on the order of a Venetian blind, made a gate at a 12th-floor room, and the body of a man was found half-wedged through its twisted bottom. No other rooms I saw had such a grillwork, but a thorough check of every outside wall failed to produce a single fire escape.

In many bathrooms the commodes were blown off at the base, apparently by steam generated from water in their narrow recesses. Some firemen expressed belief that the resulting explosions accounted for reports that gun fire was heard at the height of the inferno.

YIELDS

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peal to the miners over Lewis' head. This amid reports of some unionists already back at work in scattered operations and an estimate of the National Coal Association that bituminous production in the week ended Nov. 30 was 17 per cent of normal.

2. The appeal from Lewis' contempt of court conviction was in the Supreme Court. If upheld there, the way would be cleared for additional heavy fines against the United Mine Workers for continued defiance of an injunction.

Attorneys for the government and the union conferred with Chief Justice Vinson privately just three hours before Lewis called off the strike. They would not disclose what took place, but presumably the conference involved the government's plea for suspension of rules to speed the case. The court may announce Monday whether it will hear the appeal, and with the strike off now, there would be no necessity for undue haste.

Lewis announced he took his action in order that the high court might pass on the issues free from "public pressure superinduced by the hysteria and frenzy of an economic crisis."

He invited negotiations for a new working agreement with either the government or the private operators, depending upon what the Supreme Court decides in regard to the status of the government contract and the federal operation of the mines.

The wording of Lewis' letter may point to an early return of the coal mines to their owners from government possession and contract negotiations with the operators. The mines have been under federal seizure since last May's strike.

Lewis said the union is willing to "negotiate a new wage agreement for the bituminous industry with such parties as may demonstrate their authority to do so, whether it be an alphabetical agency of the United States government or the associated coal operators."

Lewis' letter started off with a description of the litigation over the strike as "the administration's 'yellow dog' injunction" and advised U. M. W. members that the case has reached the Supreme Court.

It continued:

"The Supreme Court is, and we believe ever will be, the protector of American liberties and the rightful privileges of individual citizens. The issues before the court are fateful for our republic. It may be presumed that the verdict of the court, when rendered, will affect the life of every citizen.

"These weighty considerations and the fitting respect due the dignity of this high tribunal imperatively require that, during its period of deliberation, the court be free from public pressure superinduced by the hysteria and frenzy of an economic crisis.

"In addition, public necessity requires the quantitative production of coal during such period."

Then followed his instructions to the miners to go back to work "immediately," which in effect means Monday morning since most mines do not work on Sundays, and his stipulation that the order is effective until midnight, March 31.

Lewis emphasized his instructions to the miners with the admonition:

"Let there be no hesitation upon the part of any individual members with respect to the effectuation of the policy herein defined. Complete unity of action is our sole source of strength."

Lewis' announcement capped a rapid-fire legal campaign that had seen these developments in the past week:

Lewis fined $10,000 and the union $3,500,000 amounting to $250,000 a day for contempt of court in 14 days' disregard of Federal Judge T. Alan Goldsborough's preliminary restraining order against termination of the contract with the government.

The issuance of a temporary injunction to the same end as the preliminary restraining order.

An appeal by Lewis and the U. M. W., to the federal circuit court of appeals in the contempt case and union notice of appeal from the temporary injunction.

A government application to the supreme court to decide the contempt appeal, bypassing the intermediate court.

By calling his men back into the mines while the high court deliberates, Lewis lifted from himself and the union the implied threat of further contempt of court action which might have eaten further into the $13,500,000 union treasury and possibly subjected Lewis himself to danger of jail.

DRAINAGE TAX

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"slit in" and become clogged up with vegetation in two or three years unless they were constantly cleaned uot.

Mr. Fourmy introduced S. C. Smith, chief engineer of the state department of public works, who is directing the engineering work in the parish drainage program, who told of the many technical phases of the project. "There are about 48,000 acres of land in cultivation in the parish east of the Ouachita river, and this improvement will conservatively increase production of this land at least 20 per cent," said Mr. Smith. "Of greater importance, this program will make at least 150,000 acres of the present 200,000 acres not in cultivation, tillable agricultural land, or will increase the cultivatable land in the eastern part of the parish 300 per cent."

A. E. Montgomery, president of the police jury, told the board this program will increase the water carrying capacity of Young's bayou and otherwise improve drainage of the suburbs of Monroe to the extent that it would eliminate the need for the pumping station originally contemplated in the drainage plan for the city administration. This has resulted in a reduction in Monroe's drainage program of $500,000, or an amount equivalent to the total cost of the entire parish work.

Mr. Montgomery emphasized that, unless the parish votes the one-half mill drainage maintenance tax, the $200,000 state aid would not be available and the program could not be carried out. He added that West Monroe's drainage maintenance work would be taken over by the parish, and that West Monroe citizens would materially and specifically benefit from the drainage maintenance tax.

The Chamber board's resolution requested all citizens of the parish to support this drainage maintenance tax because it will "provide badly needed drainage for both Monroe and West Monroe, and will add materially to the agricultural wealth of the parish, resulting in higher living standards and increased buying power." It was adopted by a unanimous vote.

EXPECT EXTRA YEAR OF PRICE SUPPORT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7. — (AP) — An extra year of government price support operations—possibly worth more than a billion dollars to American farmers—appeared definitely in prospect today.

Post-war ills in the nation's economy and the world's politics, operating against an early official end of hostilities, are mainly responsible. Unless the war's end is made official before Jan. 1, the price supports run at least through 1949.

If the government declares the war at an end it moves forward the time when it quits guaranteeing farm prices—to the end of 1948 if the proclamation comes in the next 24 days. But at the same time it signals the end of powers like the Smith-Connally act for dealing with such crises as the coal strike, and the draft act for filling occupation army ranks. Those are only two of many factors.

Agriculture department officials say that with war powers still in constant use they do not expect such a proclamation this year. It would cut most of those powers off in six months.

A law passed early in the war requires the agriculture department to support prices of most farm products at not less than 90 per cent of parity for a two-year period beginning with the first day of January immediately following the date upon which the president proclaims official end of the war.

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litical sub-committee of a provision for expediting a draft convention (treaty) for prohibition of atomic weapons and all other weapons of mass destruction.

Progress on the armament issue came as the general assembly prepared to go into plenary session tonight (8 p. m., E. S. T.) for final decision on a proposal for world-wide troop census and another political sub-committee voted to bar Franco Spain from all organizations established by the U. N. or having relations with it.

In the midst of the Spanish debate, Sen. Tom Connally, Democrat, Texas, restated the United States position against a diplomatic break with the Franco regime and said that his government would not halt relations even if the assembly recommended such a move.

The troop census was complicated by British insistence on a verification agency, a plan previously defeated in the 54-nation political committee. The renewed British amendment would have the security council set up an inspection agency by Jan. 15 to verify troop reports and make "on-the-spot" checks on all data submitted by the member states.

Both the United States and Russia opposed the original British proposal.

Also before the plenary session was the matter of electing two more members to the economic and social council. Last month the voting was halted after a deadlock developed over Soviet attempts to win seats for Yugoslavia and White Russia. The other two candidates were Turkey and the Netherlands.

The recommendation on Spain was put through the sub-committee now seeking agreement on a final resolution against the Falangist regime. Proposals range all the way from a United States plan to have Franco surrender to a provisional government to White Russia's demand for economic sanctions.

COAL STRIKE CHRONOLOGY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—(AP)—Here is how the soft coal strike began and ended:

Oct. 21.—John L. Lewis demands contract reopening to consider wage and hour readjustments; says agreement void Nov. 1, unless negotiating talks start then.

Oct. 24.—Interior Secretary Krug contends agreement of May, 1946, is for full term of government operation.

Oct. 26.—Justice department examination of contract to determine who is right about its provisions.

Oct. 28.—Government agrees to conference Nov. 1; assigns Capt. N. H. Collisson, federal coal mines administrator, as representative; Lewis agrees to keep contract in effect during negotiations.

Nov. 1.—Conference begins; both sides represented by subordinate officials.

Nov. 9.—Presidential decontrol order frees coal prices; officials express hope it will spark a get-together between private operators and the union.

Nov. 11.—Krug and Lewis meet; no statements.

Nov. 12-14.—Round of conferences involving Krug and Lewis and Krug and operators; all parties silent

Nov. 15.—Lewis turns down presidential appeal to reconsider rejection of government proposal of 60-day truce to permit union to negotiate directly with operators and announces "termination" of agreement Nov. 20; president discloses that Attorney General Clark agrees with Krug that Lewis cannot reopen agreement without government consent.

Nov. 18.—Federal Judge T. Alan Goldsborough, on government motion, enjoins Lewis against maintaining contract termination notice in force; thousands of miners quit pits; presidential press secretary says Mr. Truman ordered government action.

Nov. 19.—Lewis silent on court order.

Nov. 20.—Mine strike begins.

Nov. 21.—Lewis cited on contempt charge and ordered to appear in court Nov. 25; makes no move to halt miners walking out in observance of traditional "no contract, no work" policy.

Nov. 22.—Lewis accepts service of court papers; Civilian Production Administration orders rigid power curtailment in 21 states and District of Columbia.

Nov. 23.—President Truman returns to Washington to assume personal direction of government strategy.

Nov. 25.—Court hearing opens; judge orders Lewis to stand trial on contempt charge; government issues new orders for coal conservation.

Nov. 27.—Judge extends for 10 days order restraining Lewis.

Nov. 29.—Judge refuses to dismiss contempt charge; says Norris-La Guardia anti-injunction act, invoked by union attorneys, does not apply.

Dec. 2.—Government rests case.

Dec. 3.—Judge finds Lewis and union guilty of civil and criminal contempt of court; Lewis breaks silence to denounce finding; four drastic new orders issued to conserve fuel for transportation.

Dec. 4.—Judge levies fine of $3,500,000 on United Mine Workers, and $10,000 on Lewis personally. Union attorneys bitterly denounce action, say they will appeal.

Dec. 5.—White House announces President Truman will address the nation the night of Dec. 8. C. I. O. sides with A. F. of L. miners.

Dec. 6.—Government asks supreme court for immediate review of contempt case, by-passing court of appeals.

Dec. 7.—Lewis abruptly ends strike, orders miners back to work immediately to free supreme court of "public pressure" in deciding case. President cancels broadcast plans without comment.

MINIATURE RACE SLATED

The Shreveport Miniature Car Racing Club will be at the Lakeside Country Club between 2 and 5 this afternoon, weather permitting, to compete with the Monroe club. Fran Brennan stated that these little cars are only 20 inches long and will travel at a speed of 100 miles an hour. There is no admission and the public is invited to witness the event.

'INCH' PIPELINES WILL CARRY GAS

HOUSTON, Tex., Dec. 7.—(AP)—Coal strike or no coal strike, the Big and Little Inch pipelines carry Texas natural gas to the east and north until about April 30, Gardiner Symonds, president of the Tennessee Gas and Transmission Company, said today.

Symonds emphasized that the future of the lines after that date is "indefinite." The gas company earlier this week announced that it would operate the two lines.

"Our original purpose in leasing the lines was to supply gas to our customers in the Appalachian area who badly need it this winter," Symonds explained. "We started trying to lease the lines in September for this purpose.

"When the coal strike came, it put our customers more sorely in need of the fuel. But coal strike or no coal strike, they still need it."

The Tennessee company has no continuing lease and will be required to renew its lease on April 30 "by specific action, if it wishes," Symonds declared.

He said the Big Inch line will be put in operation "the first part of next week. A tie in between the Big Inch and the lines of a third party company will be made at Longview, he added.

A Tennessee company line was connected with the Little Inch line at Natchitoches, La., and gas started flowing through the Little Inch line at 12:45 p. m. C. S. T. Thursday.

Symonds estimated it would take from four to six days for the gas to reach Ohio.

With both lines in operation, the company will be able to send 100 to 150 million cubic feet of gas to Ohio each day, he predicted.

The Little Inch line starts near Beaumont and the Big Inch at Longview. Both go to Little Rock, Ark., and run parallels from there to New York harbor, he said, although gas is being sent only as far as the Eastern Ohio district.

MAIL FOR JAILED WOMAN PLENTIFUL

MOBILE, Ala., Dec. 7.—(AP)—Attractive Mrs. Billie Evelyn Cornish Globaker is keeping herself occupied by writing poetry, reading three books a day and studying a stack of fan mail while awaiting grand jury action on a restaurant holdup charge.

The 26-year-old woman, who surrendered to Dallas, Tex., police last month in connection with the $657 robbery of downtown Constantine's Restaurant here, has caused a sizeable increase in the Mobile county jail mailbag.

Still wearing the red-topped cowboy boots she had on when she was returned here, Mrs. Globaker told newsmen her letters were a mixture of sympathy, censure, encouragement and advice.

Many are from bobby-soxers asking for autographs and letters for their scrapbooks. A few are from masculine admirers.

After the robbery case has been disposed of, Mrs. Globaker, who claims to be a former University of Oklahoma co-ed, says she may study law.

Right now, she says she is much interested in writing poetry. She said she had a poem published while in college and received a $25 check for it.

Her reading tastes cover a wide field. She prefers historical novels to fiction, and already has covered Sheriff William H. Holcombe's bookshelf.

Detective Capt. Tally Rollins said she had signed a confession to the Constantine robbery. The grand jury is scheduled to consider her case Jan. 7.

Approximately 2,500,000 tons of steel were used in the production of tin cans in 1945.

U. N. APPROVING RED CROSS AID

Passes Resolution Favoring World Wide Activities

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 7—(Special)—Endorsing the humanitarian and educational work of Red Cross as a positive force in furthering world unity, the United Nations general assembly has approved unanimously a resolution strengthening the position of Red Cross and Red Crescent national societies around the world.

Introduced by Mrs. Aase Lioness of the Norwegian delegation, the resolution had been previously submitted for consideration by the Third Committee—Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Questions—where it had been warmly supported by Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, U. S. committee delegate.

Urging all United Nations members to encourage Red Cross activities, the resolution stated that "at all times the independent, voluntary nature of national Red Cross and Red Crescent societies be respected, in all circumstances, provided they are recognized by their governments and carry on their work according to the principles of the Geneva and Hague conventions, and in the humanitarian spirit of the Red Cross and Red Crescent."

The resolution also urged that contact be maintained between national societies, in war or peace, to enable them to carry out their humanitarian work.

There are now 61 national organizations, most of which are members of the League of Red Cross Societies. Basil O'Conner, American Red Cross Chairman, also is chairman of the League's Board of Governors. The UN resolution, which reaffirms the the common aims and purposes of Red Cross and United Nations activities, pointed out that the widespread services of Red Cross "effectively assist the ideal of understanding and peace between nations."

PLANS TO SPEED FOOD TO GERMANY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—(AP)—Secretary of War Patterson tonight announced emergency measures to speed more than 300,000 tons of food to the United States zone of Germany this month to meet a critical shortage caused largely by the maritime strike.

Patterson told Lieutenant-General Lucius D. Clay that:

1. The war department is undertaking to send 303,500 long tons of food this month, compared with 52,500 tons in November.

2. Seventeen grain-laden vessels are to sail from Albany, N. Y., in December, with the coast guard ready to provide icebreakers in the Hudson River if needed.

3. Stand-by vessels will be held in other ports to prevent unforeseen delays and take on additional last-minute cargoes.

Patterson's statement said the war department is making headway against difficulties in breaking bottlenecks in food transportation which "have threatened to wreck the occupation program."

Railroad transportation, he advised, is the critical factor in supplying an estimated 300,000 tons of grain needed monthly to maintain the daily ration of 1,550 calories in the American zone. He added that "if we do not get that transportation, we face famine, chaos, and the risk of failure."

The secretary's statement was in response to one by Clay, deputy United States military governor, who said during negotiations for economic unification of the British and American zones that lowering the ration would imperil the entire occupation program.

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Louisiana Oil And Gas News

6 COMPLETIONS IN LOCAL AREA

Five New Oilers And Small Gasser Added In Past Week

Six completions are listed in the Northeast Louisiana oil and gas fields the past week in the report submitted by Duncan S. Cook, district manager of the department of conservation minerals division, in Monroe. Of the number five were oil wells and one was a gasser. They were in detail as follows:

Union Parish

Southwest Gas Prod. Co., Haile No. 4, section 4-21-3 East, gauged at 543,000 cubic feet. Rock pressure 895. Total depth 2205 feet.

Richland Parish

Tidewater Oil company, B. L. Warner No. 4, section 12-16-7 East, completed making 579 bbls., through 1/4 inch choke. Perf. 2866-80. Total depth 2976. Gravity 42.5.

Madison Parish

Murphy-Sun Oil company, O'Neal RR unit C-1, section 16-17-10 East, Making 273 bbls., through 3/16 inch choke. Perf. 3348-56. Gravity 41.2.

Murphy-Sun Oil company, O'Neal R R unit 1, section 17-17-10 East. Completed making 265 bbls., through 3/16 inch choke. Perf. 3349-3355. Total depth 3357. Gravity 41.8.

Franklin Parish

American Liberty Oil company, J. E. Holt No. 4, section 10-16-8 East. Pumping 34 bbls. Total depth 3365. Gravity 41.5.

Murphy-Sun Oil company, J. E. Holt, A-1, section 6-16-9 East. Making 164 bbls., through 3/16 inch choke. Perf. 3634-40. Total depth 3759. Gravity 49.6.

There were two abandonments which were:

LaSalle Parish

H. L. Hunt Company, Nebo Oil company, F-129, section 25-8-2 East, abandoned at 7481 feet.

Richland Parish

Stanolind Oil and Gas company, Delta Lbr., Company No. 19, section 11-16-7 East. Abandoned at 3139 feet.

Oil And Gas News

BATON ROUGE, La., Dec. 7.—(AP)—The state conservation department today announced in its weekly oil report the completion of 12 new wells with initial daily production totaling more than 2,650 barrels, the abandonment of 15 dry holes, and the issuance of 26 permits to drill new wells.

Completions were:

Acadia Parish, Bayou Mallet, Union Sulphur Co. No. 3 Hudson, S51-7S-1E, 100 bbls., 6/64".

Cameron, East Hackberry, Stanolind Oil & Gas No. 37 Gulf Land "G," S11-12S-10W, 413 bbls., 3/16".

Evangeline, Pine Prairie, Pan American Prod. Co. No. 1 Schlicher-Thomas, S36-3S-1W, 525 bbls., 14/64".

Franklin, West Delhi, American Liberty Oil Co. No. 4 J. E. Holt, S10-16N-8E, 34 bbls., pumping; Murphy-Sun No. 11 J. E. Holt "A," S6-16N-9E, 164 bbls., 3/16".

Lafourche, Golden Meadow, Lynn Oil Co. No. 6 Jackson Cheramie, S23-19S-22E, 125 bbls., 5/32".

Madison, Delhi, Murphy-Sun No. C-1 O'Neal R. R. Unit, 273 bbls., 3/16".

Richland, Big Creek, Tide Water Association Oil Co. No. 3 B. L. Warner, S12-16N-7E, 211 bbls., 1/4".

St. Landry, Port Barre, Gulf Ref. Co. No. 19 Wilson & Cochran, S4-6S-5E, 664 bbls., 1/4".

St. Martin, Lake Chicot, Amerada Pet. Co. No. 6-77 St. Lse. 411, S31-11S-10E, 258 bbls., 9/64" (dual completion); Plumb Bob, Texas Co. No. 18 St. Martin Land, no feet measurements, well completed and shut in without being gauged.

Terrebonne, Lirette, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 5 La. Terre Co., Inc., S32-19S-19E, 84 bbls., 1/4", gas-distillate.

Abandonments were:

Acadia Parish, Jennings Field, D. D. Feldman et al, No. 1 Trushel, plugged and abandoned; No. 4 Trushel, 6,930', plugged and abandoned, No. 5 Trushel, 6,834', plugged and abandoned; No. 6 Trushel, 7,210', plugged and abandoned; all S42-9S-2W.

Calcasieu, Bayou Choupique, Union Sulphur Co. No. 1 Brannon, S21-11S-10W, 10,365', dry hole.

East Baton Rouge, University, Sugar Field Oil Co. No. 1 Hatfield, S46-7S-1E, 7,224', plugged and abandoned; No. 1 McDonald, S45-7S-1E, 6,942', plugged and abandoned; No. 3 McDonald, S46-7S-1E, 6,809', plugged and abandoned; No. 2 Nichols, S45-7S-1E, 4,390', plugged and abandoned; No. 3 Richard Community, S45-7S-1E, 6,804', plugged and abandoned; No. 1 Reinken, S46-7S-1E, 6,512', plugged and abandoned; No. 3 Reinken, 4,350', plugged and abandoned.

Jefferson Davis, Bon Air, Sohio Pet. Co. No. 1 Prosper Mallett, S22-10S-6W, 9,780', dry hole.

Natchitoches, Ashland, W. W. Hawkins, No. 1 Weaver Hrs., S1-13N-8W, 3,319', dry hole.

St. Mary, Bayou Carlin, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 5 Miami Corp., T16S-8E, 11,620', dry hole.

Permits were:

Acadia Parish, Egan Field, Irwin & Hudson No. C-2 J. R. Trumps, S38-9S-1W, to Camerina Zone.

Assumption, Napoleonville, Crosby Drlg. Corp. & Geo. H. Echols No. 2 Trahan, S32-12S-13E, to 7,500'.

Bossier, Elm Grove Area, H. D. MacDonald No. 4 Caplis, S15-16N-12W, to 2,100'; R. E. Cain, No. 1 fee, S26-16N-12W, to Wolf City Zone.

Caddo, wildcat, Atlas Oil & Ref. Corp. No. 1 S. G. Sample, S29-17N-14W, to 3,500'; Pine Island, F. M. Hood & J. S. Slack No. 1 Thigpen-Herold, S4-21N-16W, to Woodbine Zone; M. B. Chastain & Paul Cooper No. 10 Stiles, S32-21N-16W, to Nacatosh Zone; Four Star Oil Co. No. 6 Muslow, S5-20N-15W, to Chalk Zone.

Concordia, Lake St. John, Carter Oil Co. No. 1 W. E. Person, S28-9N-10E, to Tuscaloosa Zone.

Franklin, wildcat, Murphy-Sun No. 3 J. E. Holt core test, S34-16N-8E, indefinite.

Iberia, Avery Island, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 12 Petit Anse Co., Inc., S39-13S-5E, to 10,000'.

Iberville, Bayou Des Glaise, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 3 E. B. Schwing et al "B," S86-8S-8E, to 7,000'.

Jefferson, LaFitte, LaFitte Co. No. 2 Jeff. Par.-LaFitte, S20-17S-24E, to 10,000'; No. 3 Jeff. Par.-LaFitte, S19-17S-24E, to 10,000'.

Jefferson Davis, West Tepetate, Barnsdall Oil Co. No. 2 Bucklin-Landry Unit, S25-7S-3W, too 8,600'.

Lafayette, Duson (wildcat), Union Sulphur Co. No. 1 Harson Unit A, S50-10S-3E, to 11,500'.

Lafourche, Delta Farms, California Co. No. 39 La. Delta Farms, S30-16S-23E, to 9,700'; Golden Meadow, Texas Co. No. 30 L. L. & E.-Golden Meadow, S78-19S-21E, to 5,180'.

LaSalle, Olla, Placid Oil Co. No. 124 La. Central Lbr. Co., S24-10N-2E, approximately 2,300'.

Richland, Big Creek, Stanolind Oil & Gas Co. No. 4 S. M. Smith, S6-16N-8E, to Glenrose Zone; Delhi, Murphy-Sun No. 1 Lane-Townsite Unit, S18-17N-10E, to Paluxy Zone.

Sabine, Converse, Sam Sklar No. 1 V. Barr, S15-9N-13W, to 2,000'.

St. Mary, South Jeanerette, Atlantic Ref. Co. No. 1 Adeline Sugar Fcty. (Trace "B"), S37-13S-9E, to approximately 8,500'.

Vermilion, West White Lake, Union Oil Co. of Calif. No. 6-A State, T14S-2W, to 7,400'.

Vernon, Hawthorne Area, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 1 Anderson-Peet Hdw. Lumber Co., S11-2N-11W, to 12,000'.

Webster, Cotton Valley, Gehrig Co. of Ark. No. 1 A. H. Gray, S26-21N-10W, to Travis Peak Zone.

STILL PAYING

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DRILLS FARTHER EAST IN MADISON

Kingwood Co. Test Half-Mile Beyond Murphy-Sun Outpost Producer

Another extension of the Delhi field into Madison parish is the Kingwood Oil Company's James Frazier unit No. 1, which is being drilled a half-mile east of Murphy-Sun's producing outpost well, the Mahoney-Railroad No. 1, north of the I. C. tracks a mile and a half east of Bayou Macon.

The Halko, Primos and Sharp Company, of which Gus Primos, Monroe restaurant operator, is a member, was reported yesterday as having good indications of getting a profitable well with its Butler No. 2 in section 20-16N-8E at the north offset of the discovery well of the South Big Creek field. It was reported to have logged seven feet of oil-showing sand at 3,488 feet. A 5 1/2 inch casing had been cemented to the bottom Saturday preparatory to perforating.

A half-mile northeast of the apparently successful Butler well is Burden and Kemp's F. A. Kincaid No. 1, in section 17-16-8E, which was abandoned as dry at 3,557 feet last Thursday. The Kincaid well was in the north offset to M. H. Marr's Munson No. 2.

James A. Goin was reported Saturday as moving equipment to begin drilling a wildcat well near Baskin. Known as the M. M. Black No. 1, the test is in section 21-15N-7E of Franklin parish.

The Murphy-Sun Company's core test, J. E. Holt No. 2, in 25-16-8 of Franklin parish, midway between the Lamar and South Big Creek fields, remains a "tight well," with no information being given out on its progress or prospects. But the weekly report of the district conservation office shows the company has taken a new location for J. E. Holt No. 3 in 34-16-N-8E, two miles southwest of the core test.

The same company has applied for a permit to drill Lane-Townsite Unit No. 1 in 18-17-10 at the edge of the town of Delhi. The location is surrounded by producing wells.

FOUR OIL AND GAS HEARINGS ARE SET

Three Of Topics Concern Applications In Monroe District Fields

Notice of four public hearings before the state department of conservation—three of them at New Orleans on December 13 and the other at Baton Rouge four days later—was received Saturday by District Conservation Manager Duncan S. Cook.

At the New Orleans session, the notice says, evidence will be submitted by producers and purchasers of crude petroleum and natural gas relative to the market demand, preparatory to the setting by the commission of allowable production for the 59-day period of January and February.

Rules and regulations governing the South Big Creek field will be the subject of the second New Orleans hearing, particularly the method of allocating allowable production from the sand in the base of the Tuscaloosa formation originally produced in M. H. Marr's Munson No. 2 well, 17-16-8E in Franklin parish.

The third hearing will deal with an exception to Order No. 96, to allow the H. H. & H. Oil Company to drill a well 216 feet north and 612 feet west of the SE corner of the NW quarter of the SE quarter of section 13-17N-9E in the Delhi field in Richland parish.

The hearing set for Baton Rouge Dec. 17 concerns an application by the Warren Petroleum Company to drill a twin well to the 3,000-foot zone in section 7-16N-8E in the Big Creek field. The point at issue is whether the presently producing sands in the field constitute separate reservoirs.

RIVER STAGES

Stations	Flood Stage	Present Stage	24-Hour Change
MISSISSIPPI			
St. Louis	30	4.9	0.0
Memphis	34	7.6	0.8 Fall
Arkansas City	42	13.8	0.8 Fall
Vicksburg	43	12.4	0.9 Fall
Natchez	48	17.7	0.3 Fall
Baton Rouge	35	13.5	0.0
OUACHITA			
Camden	26	9.6	0.5 Fall
Monroe	40	x-19.3	0.5 Fall
BLACK			
Jonesville	50	x-31.2	0.2 Fall
OHIO			
Pittsburgh	25	p-16.6	0.0
Cincinnati	52	p-13.5	0.6 Rise
Cairo	40	15.2	0.6 Fall
TENNESSEE			
Chattanooga	30	10.9	0.1 Fall
CUMBERLAND			
Nashville	40	11.1	0.1 Fall
ARKANSAS			
Little Rock	23	2.9	0.3 Fall
RED			
Shreveport	39	13.5	0.3 Fall
Alexandria	32	15.9	1.1 Fall

x-Stage yesterday morning; p-Pool stage.

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MARKETS

DAILY COTTON TABLE

Port movement:	Mdlg.	Rects.	Expts.	Sales	Stocks
New Orleans	30.90	3,282	.....	1,489	248,934
Galveston	31.10	3,326	.....	.....	536,160
Houston	31.08	3,015	.....	2,620	421,446
Savannah	31.40	624	.....	.....	53,373
Charleston	31.50	.....	.....	78	37,555
New York	31.80	.....	.....	.....	2,601
Boston	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,278
Minor ports	.....	.....	.....	.....	35,130
Total Saturday	.....	10,247	.....	4,187	1,336,477
Total for week	.....	10,247	.....	.....	.....
Total for season	.....	1,339,537	795,094	.....	.....

Interior movement:	Mdlg.	Rects.	Shpmts.	Sales	Stocks
Memphis	31.15	4,765	1,465	20,055	395,897
Augusta	31.75	695	1,174	655	102,217
Little Rock	31.15	311	10	830	25,651
Dallas	31.00	.....	.....	4,951	.....
Montgomery	31.00	.....	.....	217	.....
Total Saturday	.....	5,771	2,649	26,678	523,765

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—(AP)—Rail stocks today responded to the freight rate boost with a jump of 1 to more than 4 points in the liveliest Saturday market since last May but extreme gains evidentually were cut by profit cashing and many industrials still were handicapped by the coal crisis.

Carriers came out at a fast opening on blocks of 1,000 to 15,000 shares, with a number appearing late as the result of difficulties in coordinating bids and offers. Dealings soon quieted. While virtually all the rails were well on the upside near the close, most other departments held to a relatively narrow route and a smattering of minus signs was in evidence. Transfers for the two hours were in the neighborhood of 800,000 shares.

The rate increase of approximately 17 3/4 per cent was a bit better than Wall Streeters had looked for and, it was believed, would add about $1,000,000,000 annually to the income of the roads, or some $620,000,000 after taxes. Boardrooms, however, expressed doubts regarding whether this net could be maintained in the face of possible union demands for hoisted pay, higher costs elsewhere and the curtailment of shipments in the events of an economic letdown in 1947.

Rail bonds enjoyed an early bulge with stocks but the majority backed away from the best levels. Commodities were steady.

(FINAL QUOTATIONS)

Air Reduction	34¼
Allied Chemical & Dye	165¾
Allied Stores	35⅞
Allis Chalmers	32⅜
American Can Company	87
American Car & Foundry	45
American & Foreign Power	6⅛
American Locomotive	25⅝
American Metal	27¼
American Power & Light	12⅛
American Rad & St S	14⅜
American Rolling Mills	34⅜
American Smelting & Refining	53¾
American Sugar Refining	42
American Tel & Tel	165
American Tobacco B	82¼
American Water Works	16
Anaconda Copper	39⅞
Atchison T & S F	93⅞
Aviation Corporation	6⅛
Baldwin Locomotive	20½
Baltimore & Ohio	16⅛
Barnsdall Oil Company	23¼
Bendix Aviation	30½
Best & Company	34⅛
Bethlehem Steel Corporation	89½
Boeing Airplane	19¾
Borden Company	48⅝
Bucyrus-Erie Company	15¼
Budd Manufacturing	11⅝
Burroughs Adding Machine	13⅛
Calumet & Hecla	8
Canadian Pacific	13
Case J I Company	35
Celanese Corporation	21⅛
Celotex Corporation	26½
Cent Aguirre	21
Cerro de Pasco	34
Chesapeake & Ohio	53
Chrysler Corporation	86⅜
Coca-Cola Corporation	142¾
Columbia Gas & Electric	11
Commercial Solvents	20½
Commonwealth & Southern	7⅜
Consolidated Corporation	6⅜
Continental Can Company	38½
Continental Motors	10¼
Continental Oil Delaware	38½
Corn Products	72
Crane Company	36¼
Cuban-American Sugar	20
Curtiss-Wright Corporation	5⅞
Curtiss-Wright Corporation A	19¼
Deere & Company	34¾
Douglas Aircraft	69¾
Du Pont de Nemours	182½
Electric Auto-Lite Corporation	31¼
Electric Boat Company	13¼
Electric Power & Light	16
Engineers Public Service	29
Firestone Tire & Rubber	53⅞
General Electric Corporation	35¾
General Foods Corporation	44
General Motors	50½
Gillette Safety Razor	31¼
Goodrich B F Company	63½
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	53½
Great Northern pf	48⅞
Greyhound Corporation	38¼
Gulf Mobile & Ohio	14⅜
Gulf Oil Company	62¼
Hudson Motor	15¼
Illinois Central	25⅞
Inspiration Copper	16⅜
International Harvester	71¼
International Nickel Can	31½
International Tel & Tel	69¼
Johns-Manville Products	131
Kansas City Southern	26¼
Kennecott Copper	49⅜
Kroger Grocery	48
Libby-Owens-Ford Glass	50
Liggett & Myers	95
Lockheed Aircraft	19⅜
Loew's Incorporated	26⅜
Long Bell Lumber A	20½
Lorillard P Company	20⅜
Louisville & Nashville	50
Masonite Corporation	53
Mathieson Alkali	26
Mengel Company	22
Montgomery Ward	61⅛
Nash-Kelvinator Corporation	13¾
National Biscuit Company	26⅝
National Can Company	10
National Dairy Products	37
National Distillers	21⅞
Newport Industries	31
New York Central Railroad	17¾
International Tel & Tel	28½
Northern Pacific	22⅛
Otis Elevator Corporation	29½
Packard Motor	4½
Pan-American Airways	12
Paramount Pictures	33⅜
Penney J C Company	45⅞
Pennsylvania Railroad	28
Pepsi-Cola Corporation	26¾
Phillips Petroleum	55⅞
Pressed Steel Car	13⅛
Procter & Gamble	57
Pure Oil Company	22
Radio Corporation	9⅜
Remington Rand	38⅛
Reo Motors	26⅜
Republic Steel Corporation	26¾
Reynolds Tobacco B	38¼
Richfield Oil Company	14⅛
Schenley Distillers	54⅛
Sears Roebuck	37⅛
Simmons Company	36¾
Sinclair Oil Company	15⅜
Socony-Vacuum Oil Company	14
Southern Pacific	46⅞
Southern Railway	43⅞
Sperry Corporation	20
Standard Brands	37
Standard Oil California	55
Standard Oil Indiana	40⅜
Standard Oil New Jersey	66½
Stone & Webster	15⅜
Studebaker Corporation	19⅞
Swift & Company	32⅞
Texas Company	59
Tidewater A Oil Company	13½
Timkin Roller Bearing	43⅛
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Union Oil California	21½
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United Aircraft	16¾
United Corporation	2⅜
United Fruit Company	47¼
United Gas Imperial	23¾
United States Rubber	50
United States Smelting R & M	42¼
United States Steel Corporation	71½
Vanadium Corporation	18¼
Warner Brothers Pictures	17¾
Wesson Oil & Snowdrift	37½
Western Union Telegraph	19⅜
Westinghouse Air Brake	29½
Westinghouse Electric	25¼
Woolworth F W Company	47½

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—(AP)—Stocks: Higher; rate boost causes strong demand for rails. Bonds: Advanced; rails spurt. Cotton: Firm; mill buying.

CHICAGO: Wheat: Strong; export flour sales. Corn: Weak; elevators sold. Oats: Lower with corn. Hogs: Nominally steady; quotable top $24.75. Cattle: Nominally steady.

COTTON

New Orleans

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 7.—(AP)—Cotton futures fluctuated irregularly here today due to week-end covering operations. Closing prices were steady, 55 cents a bale higher to 20 cents lower.

	Open	High	Low	Close	
Dec.	31.05	31.05	31.01	31.00b	up 11
Mch.	30.88	30.94	30.73	30.73-75	unch.
May	30.27	30.35	30.07	30.07-16	off 4
July	28.68	28.68	28.48	28.48-51	up 2
Oct.	25.85	25.85	25.70	25.78	up 5

b—Bid.

SPOT COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 7.—(AP)—Spot cotton closed steady and unchanged. Sales 1,489. Low middling 25.50; middling 30.90; good middling 21.30. Receipts 3,282. Stock 248,934.

New York

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—(AP)—The cotton futures market was firm today and showed gains of as much as $1.00 a bale, but turned irregular at the close on week-end profit taking. Buying and covering against future textile sales absorbed hedge selling and profit taking. It was believed there was also some buying for foreign accounts.

Volume was small as many traders were content to remain on the sidelines until the publication of the government cotton crop estimate on Monday. The average estimate of 29 members of the New Orleans cotton exchange was that the final 1946 cotton crop would be 8,415,243 bales. A month ago the government estimate was for a probable yield of 9,195,000 bales. Final production last year was 9,015,000 bales.

Futures closed 5 cents a bale lower to 65 cents higher than the previous close.

	Open	High	Low	Close	
Dec.	31.02	31.02	31.00	30.95n	up 4
Mch.	30.86	30.90	30.75	30.75	unch.
May	30.25	30.36	30.10	30.10-12	up 1
July	28.67	28.75	28.50	28.60-62	up 13
Oct.	25.94	25.95	25.71	25.80	up 4
Dec. (1948)	25.36	25.36	25.28	25.28	up 4
	24.81	24.81	24.81	24.85n	up 8

Middling spot 31.80n, off 5.

n—Nominal.

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—(AP)—Feed grains weakened on the board of trade today, corn falling about 3 cents at one time under the weight of profit-taking and sales by a large elevator concern. Demand from cash houses, a recent feature of the market, was absent.

Wheat finished 1 to 2 1/4 higher, January $2.08 3/4 to 2.09, corn was 1 5/8 to 2 7/8 down, January $1.31 to 1.31 1/8, and oats were 1/8 to 1 1/4 lower, December 80 5/8 to 1/2.

Wheat close: Jan. 2.08 3/4 to 2.09, Mar. 2.00 1/2 to 3/4, May 1.92 1/4 to 3/8. Corn close: Jan. 1.31 to 1.31 1/8, Mar. 1.28 3/4 to 1/2, May 1.27 1/4 to 1/8, July 1.26 1/8 to 1/4. Oats close: Dec. 80 5/8 to 1/2, Mar. 72 3/4 to 7/8, May 67 7/8, July 63 1-2. Lard close: July 21.37; Sept. 21.00.

Curbs

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—(AP)—Curbs: Cities Service 26 5/8, Electric Bond and Share 15 3/8, Niagara Hudson 9 3/8, United Gas 16.

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BEDROOM FOR RENT—North side. On bus line. Phone 1189-M. 12-8-A

FOR RENT — Bedroom for single man. Phone 6939-J. 12-8-A

86—Houses For Sale

448-Acre Farm
320 Acres in cultivation, 128 acres in hardwood timber. House for owner, 7 tenant houses, 2 oat bins, hay barn, 40x60, mule barn, 30x50, tractor and tool shed. Combine shed, 5 water wells, gas and electricity on premises. Monroe-Columbia paved highway divides property. 1½ miles from grade school, 7 miles from Monroe city limits. Farm known as "Perseverance Plantation." All equipment necessary to operate farm included. This is considered one of the most productive farms in Ouachita parish. Price $27,500.
45 Acres, more or less, on Monroe-Ruston paved Hwy. Highway divides property. Ten miles from Louisville bridge. Suitable for dairy or other business. Beautiful home site. ½ mineral rights.
W. D. KRAMER
Phone 6571

FOUR-ROOM HOUSE, barn, 81 acres land, 53 acres cultivated, practically all could be cultivated. Located 6 miles North of Holly Ridge, La., on the Futch right-away gravel road. 8 miles from Delhi oil field. Land never been leased. $6,500. E. W. Cruse, 302 Ouachita Bank. Phone 5400. 11-10-P

40 ACRES LAND, four-room house, other outbuildings. 16½ acres open land, balance in young timber. Located 2½ miles south of Okaloosa School. Known as "Thomas Place." $1,100. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400. 12-6-P

REAL ESTATE FOR RENT

78—Rooms Without Board

SMALL BACK BEDROOM—Close in. Back entrance. Nice for working men. Phone 5709-W. 12-11-

NICELY FURNISHED bedroom in private home. Adjoins bath. Close in. 402 South First, West Monroe. 12-10-

NICE LARGE bedroom for adults only. Apply 810 Cypress, West Monroe. 12-5-

FRONT BEDROOM—Private entrance. 41 N. 8th, West Monroe. Phone 6488-M. 12-11-

UPSTAIRS BEDROOM—Adjoining sun parlor. Central heating, tile bath with shower. Traveling men preferred. Mrs. R. E. Davis. Phone 1094. 11-27-

Rooms—$6.00 Per Week
MONROE HOTEL 12-20-

NICE LARGE BEDROOM — Innerspring mattress. Next to bath. Gentleman preferred. 414 Cypress, West Monroe. 12-7-

FURNISHED FRONT BEDROOM—Private entrance. Connecting bath. Constant hot water. 303 Vernon, West Monroe. 12-13-

83—Wanted To Rent

COUPLE, with 2 children, desire house or apartment. Permanent resident. Phone 6511. 12-14-

WANTED—Apartment or house for superintendent of First National Life Insurance Co. Permanent. The OPA says move. Call the office, 3994 or 933-J after 5. 12-11-

WANTED TO RENT—Rooming house or boarding house in Monroe. Write Box 606, Tallulah, La. 12-11-

VETERAN AND WIFE urgently need three or four-room furnished or unfurnished apartment or house. Phone 3872, Mrs. D. L. Rannaford. 12-7-

WANTED TO RENT
Apartment or house, furnished or unfurnished. References given. Monroe Printing Co. Phone 4800.

MERRY CHRISTMAS LANDLORDS! Permanent young businessman desperate for house or apartment before Xmas. First Xmas at home in 7 years. Please be kind and help us. Call 3149 or 318 Room 245. 12-10-

VETERAN AND WIFE urgently need 3 or 4-room furnished or unfurnished apartment or house. No children. Phone 279 12-10-

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

84—Business Prop. For Sale

CAFE—$4,500
Complete equipment, stock, good building and lot. Doing good business. Located on south side Monroe near business and residential section. Everything goes for $4,500. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

Neighborhood Grocery
IN WEST MONROE
Close in to business section, good store, groceries, excellent grocery and market fixtures, cash register, adding machine, meat counter, scales. Doing better than $3,000 month. Walk-out proposition. $5,000. No information given over telephone. See E. W. Cruse, 302 Ouachita Bank

GROCERY STORE, filling station and cafe, fixtures, stock and equipment. Doing good business. Three-room completely furnished living quarters. Everything goes—

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

—Farms & Land For Sale

ACRE FARM, 4-room house. One barn, 6 head livestock, farm implements. Good land. 7 miles southeast of Rayville, 2 miles from producing oil well. ½ owner's 183 royalty. BARGAIN IF SOLD AT ONCE. W. D. KRAMER Phone 6571 4 Bres Ave.

ACRES land, 3-room house, barn, outbuildings. Lights. 5 miles off Shreveport Hwy. on Chenniere road. Immediate possession. $1,750. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400

ACREAGE FARMS—LOTS

20 acres adjoining Fink property on Bayou DeSiard. 10 minutes from downtown Monroe. Owner will sell all or part and finance to responsible party.

104 acre farm, 5 room house, water, lights. 85 acres in cultivation. Electric pump, barns. Near school and paved highway, 7 miles from city. $3,000 down. Owner will finance balance.

2 nice level lots, 55x175 each. Crescent Bend on Filhiol Avenue. 1/2 block bus line. $350 each. First come, first to get it.

47 acre farm, 4 miles from West Monroe. Arkansas road. Oil well being drilled 1/2 mile away. Modern 6 room asbestos house. Large cabinets in kitchen, $700 water pump, lights, butane gas, wash room, telephone, on bus line, 2 car garage, fruit and nut trees. 1/2 mile from school and church. 30 acres in cultivation. Good fence. 12 minutes from town. $10,500.

2 beautiful lots corner Milton and Myrtle. 100x150, in Fairview. Ready to build your post-war home. Paving paid. Best neighborhood.

2 gorgeous lots 55x175, Crescent Bend Addition. Graded and mowed twice. Bus about 2 blocks. Sewerage already planned. Lovely neighborhood near property. $425 each.

20 beautiful acres, nice house. Cheap. $1,500. 1/2 mile off Columbia Road. All fenced in. About 9 miles from town. Beautiful building lot 97x120. 1600 block Park Avenue.

Louisville Avenue business site. 100x385 feet. Adjoining Rendezvous.

Louisville Avenue 150x262 feet. First time on market. Ideal factory site or automobile building.

North Third Street building lot 50x150, across from Graves and Snellings Clinic. Lovely residential lot. Corner Spencer and Myrtle in Fairview. High and level. $1,500.

9 acres, landscaped, gas and water pipe already laid, servants' house already built. 100 trees been growing for 5 years. Select your neighbors, sell them building site. Reserve building site for yourself. Bayou DeSiard around Loop.

2 lots 100x100 ft. each, South Fourth and Austin Avenue, West Monroe. Already filled and leveled. $1,900.

2 corner lots, Highland and Isabelle, 75x150. $675 each. Buy now and build later.

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Phone 2805
Open All Day Sunday for Your Convenience

388 ACRES, 2 houses, 70 acres in cultivation, balance in all kinds of hardwood and pine. Portable sawmill, tractors, plows, all farming tools. Known as John Gladen Place on west bank Ouachita River about 20 miles from Brown Paper Mill, just one mile from Ouachita and Caldwell parish line. Some minerals sold. $10,500. E. W. Cruse, 302 Ouachita Bank. Phone 5400.

SIX ROOM HOUSE 5 ACRES LAND

Lights, gas, telephone, running water, bathroom and fixtures, screened front porch. 2 miles from Knowles Filling Station just off White's Ferry Road. Short distance from bus line.
POSSESSION WITHIN 10 DAYS
MRS. R. E. DAVIS
Phone 1094

280 ACRES North of Girard. 4 tenant houses. 170 acres in cultivation. Good sandy soil—grows anything. Located on West bank of Beouf River. Gravel road and highland runs through property. Immediate possession. $10,000. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400. 11-19-P

800 ACRES

Fine sandy loam land in heart of Delta. Main highway and railroad pass through place. Large main dwelling, manager's house, store, gin and cabins on place. Colored school and colored churches on property. Fine levee and wood pasture. R. E. A. Good cotton, corn and hay country. Land will produce any crop. For further information write Box 347, c/o News-Star.

—Houses For Sale

AN ESTATE FOR SALE
I HAVE THE BEAUTIFUL SANDEL HOME

On DeSiard Road for sale. This is a large 15-room two-story home with three lovely tile baths. Spacious rooms, large halls, gorgeous hardwood floors, lifetime roof, exquisite mantels and galleries.

This home situated on nine large lots . . . with beautiful grounds. Large trees, outhouses, etc.

This home is not only an ideal suburban home but would make a wonderful club house for business men who desire to drive out and relax enjoying a good meal and an evening of recreation.

This home cost more than $50,000.00 to build and would cost $90,000.00 today if you would attempt to duplicate it. (Exclusive listing) $26,000.00.

Pay ½ down—Balance financed—Shown by appointment only.

I. & S. REALTY
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On Display Today
FOR FIRST TIME
Formal Opening
BRAND NEW 5-ROOM

Concrete home—112 Vernon St., Monroe. Can be bought with or without furniture. See this house—write your bid on it. Seal and give to representative of I. & S. Realty on property or phone 2805.

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AIR CONDITIONING and COMMERCIAL REFRIGERATION

"Westinghouse" Air-Conditioning Systems, "Hill Commercial Refrigerators, Equipment for Locker Plants and All Types of Refrigerated Storage Rooms.
We Service All Makes
FAURES-WARE REFRIGERATION CO.
408 Louisville Ave. Phone 4868
12-8-A

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

85—Farms & Land For Sale

FOR FARM LOANS AND F. H. A. LOANS
See Gilbert Faulk, Real Estate,
414 Heninger Building Phone 4303
12-29-A

GIRARD, LA., 2-story residence, 18 rooms with 2 baths. Ample acreage, suitable for hotel or residence. Close to Rayville and Delhi, La. Price, $12,500. $5,000 down. Early possession. Gilbert Faulk, Real Estate, 414 Heninger Bldg. Phone 4303. 12-4-A

20 ACRES, Baskin Road, 4-room house, electricity. $2,000. See Mrs. Dickerson, Route 3, Box 131, Delhi, La. 12-8-P

GOOD SIX-ROOM HOUSE and 2-room house, dairy barn, poultry house, 40 acres land, all under good fence. Lights, well water. 30 acres open land. Only 7 miles from downtown Monroe. 2 miles from Winnsboro Road on Prairie grave road. $4,000. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400 11-29-P

84½ Acres

5 miles from City Limits on Columbia Road, Highway 165, facing OUACHITA RIVER. All in cultivation under fence. 7 room dwelling, 3 bedrooms, large kitchen, dining room, living room, breakfast room, glassed in back porch, nice large bath and ample closet and storage space. LIGHTS, WATER AND GAS. Supplied by deep artesian well with electric pump. ALL MODERN CONVENIENCES. 3 tenant houses, barn and storage room. FINEST FARM LAND IN NORTHEAST LOUISIANA.
IMMEDIATE POSSESSION
E. R. & LELA K. BREARD
Phone 649 or 2548

60 ACRES LAND—Good 5 room house, bathroom (no fixtures), out buildings, garden and chicken yard. House built in 1940. Butane gas and gas range, lights, about 1/2 fenced, 14 acres in cultivation, approximately two hundred fruit trees, one hundred fifty bearing, some pasture land, balance in young timber. About all could be cultivated. Located 8 miles from West Monroe, on good gravel road, two miles from Cpenniere Lake. On mail and school bus route. Immediate possession. $4,500.00. Phone 6020 or apply M. L. Owens Grocery, Bawcomville, La. 12-13-P

—Houses For Sale

$6,000.00

Located just 3 blocks from bridge, West Monroe. 2 bedrooms, living room, dining room. 25-year roof, screened front porch, attic ventilation, large bath. These floors are as pretty as you will find in a $20,000.00 house. This price is not inflated and this house is surely going to sell quick. The price is right, the possession is immediately. Phone 2805. I. & S. Realty. Open all day Sunday for your convenience.

NEW MODERN HOME
ON ACRE GROUND
ONLY $700 DOWN

On Winnsboro Road, ½-mile from city limits. 2 bedrooms, living room, kitchen, bath. Lovely floors throughout. Gas, lights, water. Sidewalk and street already graded, to be graveled soon. Ideal suburban home. Very comfortable and livable. $4,200. I. & S. Realty. Phone 883 or 2805.

FIVE-ROOM HOUSE, screened back porch. In 1500 block Trenton St., West Monroe. Almost immediate possession. $1,600. West Monroe Realty Co. Phone 2062. 12-13-P

FOUR-ROOM partly furnished house. 2 lots, 50x200 each. 3 blocks from Crossroads Grocery in Siegle Addition. Partly finished. $1,175. West Monroe Realty Co. Phone 2062. 11-20-P

NEW 3-bedroom brick veneer home, 1405 Emerson Ave. Immediate occupancy. Price, $11,975. Terms.

PARTLY furnished apartment house, 417 Hudson Lane. Consisting of 4 apartments. Separate utilities. Large corner lot. One block from Georgia Tucker School. Revenue, $187.50 per month. Price, $13,000. Terms.

NEW BUNGALOW FOR SALE, 116 North Ninth St., West Monroe McGuire Park Addn. 5 rooms and bath, 2 nice bedrooms, hardwood floors throughout. All built-in features. Lot, 60'x190'. Immediate possession. Price, $7,250. Terms can be arranged.

NEW 4-ROOM COTTAGE AND BATH Bernstein Park Addn. Just completed. Lights, water and gas. One acre of ground. Immediate possession. Price, $4,500.

LUTHER REED
Phone 3050

TO BE MOVED

New 5 room house, 2 bedrooms, bath (no fixtures), living room, dining room, kitchen, $2,800—or you can buy the lot, 75x100, and let it stay for $3,000.

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

86—Houses For Sale

NEW 5-ROOM HOME, 319 Egan Street. Bathroom without fixtures. Will be papered to suit tenant. Large lot. Price, $2,800. Gilbert Faulk, Real Estate, 414 Heninger Bldg. Phone 4303.

GOOD 6-ROOM HOUSE — Bath, 2 large porches, garage. Best condition. 406 Stone Ave. $6,500. Possession on or before January 1. Can be seen by appointment only. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400. 12-6-A

DUPLEX
ON SOUTH GRAND
2 ROOMS—2 BATHS

Almost enough material on premises to remodel. Owner leaving city. $4,000. $1,775 cash, balance $35 per month.
E. W. CRUSE
Phone 5400

NICE 2-ROOM DUPLEX—2 baths, 2 porches, 3-room garage apartment with bath, 3-car garage. 2702 Gordon Ave. Can be seen by appointment only. $9,000. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400. 11-8-A

LARGE SEVEN-ROOM house with bath, porches, garage. Nice lot. In 2700 block South Grand. Can be seen by appointment only $8,400. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400. 11-8-A

BEAUTIFUL HOME

On South Grand, 3 lovely bedrooms. A really first class house. Beautiful fireplace in living room. Lot 85 ft. x 110.

$14,500.00
I & S. REALTY
Phone 2805

19 ACRES LAND, six room house, barn. Located 1 mile from Winnsboro Road on Prairie Road, next to Thompson's place. $2,400. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400. 12-10-P

NEW four-room house with bath. New fixtures. Remis & Wheeler Sts., W. M. Phone 6446-W. 12-10-P

FOR SALE
DUPLEX

213 Peach St., Monroe. 4 rooms and bath. 5 rooms and bath. Double garage. $5,500.

VACANT

306 Montgomery, West Monroe. 5 rooms, owner leaving. Special price. $2,800

111 EGAN

Between Grand and Lee Avenue. 6 rooms and bath. Lot, 100x150. $6,500.

CHURCH ST. GROCERY, West Monroe Lot, building, stock, and fixtures. $3,500.

NEW 4-room house. Lot 50x150. Lights. Down Lazarre to South 8th, first house on left, facing 8th St., West Monroe. $2,300.

COUNTRY HOME 4 years old, 40 acres. 6 rooms and bath, porte-cochere, double garage, back and front screened porch, window fan, electric pump. Extra 2-room house, large barn, cow shed, septic tank. On Farmerville Road. 12 miles from Monroe. Bus service. $8,000.

20 ACRES, 5 rooms and bathroom (no fixtures), good timber, ½ minerals. 4 miles South Paper Mill just off blacktop. $3,000.

MAISIE'S CAFE—Just out of city limits, West Monroe. Lease equipment and living quarters.

310 FILHIOL AVE., West Monroe. 7 rooms and bath. New roof, paint and paper. Hardwood floors, attic fan. Possession 10 days. $6,800.

4 ACRES fronting 400 ft. on Bayou DeSiard, Edgewater Gardens. $4,500.

LOT corner Concordia and Filhiol, Cole Addition, near college. $1,200.

4½ ACRES, new house 4 rooms and bath (no fixtures) new light fixtures, gas available. Just off Hwy. 80, six miles west of Monroe. Immediate possession. $4,000.

124 JEWELL STREET—Corner Austin street, ½ acre, near Paper Mill. $3,200.

810 FLORIDA STREET—New house, 4 rooms and bathroom (no fixtures), 3 lots 50x150 each. Gas and lights (water available). Corner lot and ½ of other 2 lots fenced with new poultry wire. New barn. $4,500.

80 ACRES—4-room house, front and back porch, garage, lights. Near intersection of Arkansas and Farmerville Roads at Drew School and Church. $3,750.

2723 SOUTH GRAND—Six rooms and bath Good condition. $6,000.

NEARLY 2 ACRES, 1,200 ft. South of Hwy. 80, at Butler's Store. $1,000.

FOR COLORED—Several 3 and 4-room houses. Good city locations. $1,150 up.

510 LAZARRE ST., West Monroe. 5 rooms and bath. Lot 50x150. Will accept good truck as part payment. Possession in 10 days. $3,500.

DUPLEX—312 Louise Ann. $6,000.

TWO LOTS—Cole Addition, corner Filhiol and Evangeline near College. $1,400.

B. S. BRASWELL
Phone 2714 or 2372-J

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

86—Houses For Sale

SIX-ROOM HOUSE—Bath, 2 porches. Lot 50x135. Located 1302 Coleman Ave. One block off Montgomery Ave., West Monroe. Possession on or before 15 days. $4,500.00. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400. 11-29-P

FOUR-ROOM HOUSE, lights, water, gas. Lot 200x210. "Bailey's Home" located next to Freeman's Store near Linwell School. Possession in or before 30 days. $1,800. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400. 11-29-A

TENNESSEE ST. — 4-room residence with bath. Beautiful shrubs and flowers. Immediate possession. $1,500 down. Gilbert Faulk, Real Estate, 414 Heninger Bldg. Phone 4303.

3306 GORDON AVE.

CAN BE SEEN BY APPOINTMENT ONLY
DUPLEX—6 rooms, 2 breakfast rooms, 2 baths. One side rents for $25 per month, other side available January 1. Double garage. Lot, 50x150. $5,600. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION

Five-room house, 3809 Lee Ave.

CHOICE LOTS
Cole Addition, Lee Avenue, Fairview

ALSO CHOICE COLORED PROPERTY.
Blanks and Breard, Inc.
Phone 268

1208 South 3rd St.

CAN BE SEEN BY APPOINTMENT ONLY
Five-room house, bath, front screened porch, large back porch (could be used as sleeping porch). Just redecorated—tile board in kitchen, new cabinets. Newly painted. $6,000 for house and 2 lots $5,500 for house and one lot. Could be handled as G. I. Loan. For further information call E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

NICE 3-BEDROOM HOME TO BE MOVED OFF LOUISVILLE AVE. AS SOON AS POSSIBLE

(You can also buy complete furnishings for only $600 extra.)

Have good lot in north side neighborhood only 2 blocks away you can buy reasonably to move this house on. In fact, already have contractor's price for moving this house on this lot and put plumbing back. This can't wait, as owner needs lot for future construction.

Phone 2805
I. & S. REALTY
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FOUR-ROOM frame house, all ceiled. Acre land. 1½-mile south of Eros on good gravel road. Well water, lights. Known as Old T. O. Simpkins Place. $700. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400. 12-13-P

406 AUSTIN AVENUE, West Monroe—Large 6-room house, bath, screened porch, 3 bedrooms, large living room. Hardwood floors throughout. Garage. About 6 years old. Lot, 50x150. Possession within 15 days, $9,800. Can be seen by appointment only. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400. 12-9-P

THREE-ROOM HOUSE and bath, no fixtures. H. R. Small, Sterlington Rd., Lampkin, La. Price $1,000. 12-10-P

POSSESSION JAN. 15TH
Beautiful 5-room home in McGuire Addition, West Monroe. Attic ventilation, Venetian blinds. Price reduced.
MRS. L. G. GILLILAND
Phone 1114, 151, 4155

FIVE-ROOM HOUSE, built-in garage. Corner lots. Contact E. G. Johnston. Reliable Cab Co. 12-10-P

FIVE-ROOM HOUSE, bath, 2 screened porches, garage. 305 North 6th, West Monroe. $6,000. Possession in or before 30 days. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400. 11-30-A

FOR COLORED — 6-room house, 2203 Grammont Street. New roof. $2,100 West Monroe Realty Co. Phone 2062. 11-12-P

8-ROOM HOUSE — Breakfast room, two baths, one tile, 2 porches, another large bedroom unfinished. Beautiful hardwood floors. Partially furnished with Venetian blinds. Lot, 75x150. Unfurnished $12,500. Located in 1400 block of Jackson Street. Possession within 15 days. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

BEAUTIFUL 5-room home, bath, large screened porch, all built-in features, venetian blinds throughout, lifetime roof, asbestos siding. Garage. 3 lots. All in best condition. On Arkansas Road. West Monroe. Immediate possession. $10,500. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

FOR SALE BY OWNER
Beautiful new 5-room home, 2 bedrooms, spacious closets, bath, living room, dining room, kitchen with built-in cabinets, screened front porch. Garage. Large lot. 1604 McGuire St. For information phone 2327-R. 12-14-A

HOMES—NORTH OR SOUTH SIDE
Mr. or Mrs. Porter, Realtors
1014 North Second Phone 5306

GORGEOUS 3-BEDROOM HOME
NORTH SIDE WEST MONROE

Living room, kitchen, dining room, built-in breakfast nook in kitchen, glassed-in sleeping porch, private entrance to guest room, combination tub and shower bath, hardwood floors throughout. Lot, 120 ft. front, 210 ft. deep. Perfectly landscaped, fine quality flowers, 2 barbecue pits, lovely yard furniture. 2-car garage. No city tax. Bus service every 30 minutes. Furnished—$13,500. Unfurnished—$11,500. Seen by appointment only. I. & S. Realty. Phone 2805.

NEW HOME
BUILT IN MAY, 1946

All hardwood floors, automatic tank, built-in breakfast nook, 2 bedrooms, hall and bath. Lot, 50x150. Nice neighborhood. Paved street. On North 6th, West Monroe. $6,750. I. & S. Realty. Phone 883 or 2805.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

86—Houses For Sale

PARTLY FINISHED HOME

On Cole Ave., Monroe. Lot, 65x168, leveled and partly landscaped. 2 large bedrooms, kitchen, 11x14; dining room, 12x14; living room, 14x19½; den, 8½x14. One coat paint already applied, bath fixtures already installed, sheet rock already on wall. Septic tank already installed. Can be bought for $5,200—AND THIS IS A BARGAIN. I. & S. Realty. Phone 2805. or 2805.

6 houses, vacant . . . new
TO BE MOVED
$500.00 EACH

Have contractor's estimate of $50 each to move. Located at Bawcomville. Call for information. I. & S. Realty. Phone 2805. Open all day Sunday for your convenience.

MOVE THIS HOUSE—Only 5 years old, garage apartment, South Monroe. Must be moved off lot. 4 rooms, attic fan, automatic hot water heater, built-in tub, hardwood floors throughout. Good condition. Must be sold this week. $2,700. I. & S. Realty. Phone 2805.

8-ROOM DUPLEX—Hardwood floors. New paint. New roof. 1 side furnished. $5,200. Phone 4077-W. 12-11-P

6-ROOM HOUSE, less than two years old. Bath, two porches, garage, lot 50x150, hardwood floors. Price $6,500. Located 700 block South Third St. E. W. Cruse Phone 5400.

FOUR ROOMS, bath, large glassed-in sleeping porch. Located just across 7th St. on Pine, West Monroe. $6,000. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400. 12-6-A

6-ROOM BRICK HOUSE — 1405 Emerson St. Seen by appointment only. Call 5511. 12-10-P

APARTMENT HOUSE

Will bring in $195 per month. Owner will give possession of own apartment soon. If sold to responsible party, will accept 1/3 down, balance to be financed. $15,000. I. & S. Realty. Phone 2805.

COLORED HOMES

One 5-room, two 3-room houses. Lot, 25x150, corner 12th and Adams St. $6,000. See owner at Coney Island No. 2, 118 North 6th St. 12-10-A

THREE-ROOM HOUSE, 2 lots, water, gas, lights. Located on St. Mary St., Dooley Addition, just off Winnsboro Road. Possession in or before 15 days. $1,250. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

PRACTICALLY new 4-room house, lights, gas, well water. Lot, 125x125. Located north of Brown Paper Mill on Jewell St. next to Taylor's Grocery. Known as Varner House. $2,150. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

FIVE-ROOM HOUSE — Large glassed-in porch, screened porch, laundry room, attic fan, large kitchen with all built-in features, garage. Best condition. 2 poultry houses. Lot, 55x120. 203 Hampton St., South Monroe. Possession on or before 15 days. $8,400. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400. 11-19-P

SIX-ROOM HOUSE bath, 2 porches. Good condition. 2604 Gordon Ave. Seen by appointment only. Lot, 50x150. $6,300. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400. 11-19-P

NEW HOME—3 rooms and bath. Must be moved. Write Box 41, Collinston, La. 12-8-A

Lovely Home, and Income
1411 South Grand St.

1st floor: 6 rooms and bath, unfurnished.
2nd floor: 5 rooms and bath, furnished. (All rooms are large with an abundance of large closets. Hardwood floors and attic fan.)

Garage and store room with lights, water and gas.

AND

2-Story furnished garage apartment. (New refrigerator and kitchen stove.)

2-Car space and store room.

Beautiful 100' wide terraced lot with trees, flowers and shrubbery.

H. L. ROSENHEIN, Realtor
815 Ouachita Bank Bldg. Phone 1307

SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE, 2 two-room cabins, small lot, in Dooley Addition next to Vallery Store on Winnsboro Road. Rents for $50 month. $3,600. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400. 11-22-P

TWO-ROOM HOUSE, 2½ acres land in Lindwell Community, all under good fence, 6 miles from town. Butane gas, lights, well water. Almost immediate possession. $1,275. West Monroe Realty Co Phone 2062. 11-19-P

3-BEDROOM HOUSE

On Jackson Street, well-constructed, suitable for business location. Priced to sell.
118 SOUTH FIFTH—2-story house, built of cypress. Second story composed of 2 apartments and 2 bedrooms. Rental revenue $34 weekly. First floor, 4 bedrooms, living room, dining room, kitchen and bath, 2-story 3-car garage, excellent condition. Possession of first floor in 30 days. Seen by appointment only.
2801 SOUTH GRAND—Duplex with 5-room bungalow on rear of lot. A good buy.
117 SOUTH FIFTH—9 rooms, one complete bath, two commodes, garage apartment. Lot, 100'x111'. Suitable for rooming house or apartments.
W. D. KRAMER
REAL ESTATE
506 Bres Ave. Phone 6571

MUST SELL — Immediate possession, 101 Linderman, West Monroe. 6-room frame house. Best condition, inside and outside. Garage and wash room. Lot, 50'x150'. Price reduced again.
W. D. KRAMER
506 Bres Ave. Phone 6571

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

86—Houses For Sale

HOME ON SOUTH SIDE. Five rooms, bath, two screened porches, garage, store room. $1,700 down, balance already financed. Call 5133-M.

ON SOUTH FIRST ST.—4-room house, large glassed-in porch, bath, garage, store room, laundry room, poultry house. Possession within 30 days. $5,000. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400. 12-9-P

NINE-ROOM TWO-STORY HOUSE and bath, 2 acres land in Calhoun one block off Shreveport Hwy. Known as "Jones Home." $4,000. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400. 12-9-P

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BARBERS' SCHOOL AWARDS DIPLOMAS

30 Complete Hair-Styling Course; Veterans Enroll In Apprentice Class

The thirty members of first class in the hair-styling school established by Local 651 of the Journeymen Barbers, Beauticians, Cosmotologists and Hairdressers Union of America last September, have completed the three-month course and diplomas were issued to them Saturday by K. Albert Ringo, instructor.

The graduates are Walter Love, of Arcadia; J. G. Evans, of Winnsboro; C. McIntosh, of Bernice; R. E. Baggersly and E. N. Stickell, of Hodge; T. J. Swanner, of Jonesboro; Jesse C. Sturgis, of Rayville; R. W. Odom, F. M. Leachman, C. R. Thompson, J. W. Patterson and W. W. Futrell, of Ruston; and W. D. Albritton, W. L. Wright, J. B. Saxon, L. O. Fisher, R. C. Hayden, E. Johnson, Tony Russell, V. C. Moudy, Edgar Powell, Leon Johnston, T. A. Stevens, Raymond Hale, T. L. Bullock, Ralph Ponder, W. H. King, J. H. Donald and L. C. Spencer, of Monroe.

A hair-styling class for seven northeast parishes—East and West Carroll, Morehouse, Madison, Tensas, Franklin and Richland—will be formed next Tuesday night at a meeting in Jones' Barber Shop at Delhi.

A number of former servicemen have enrolled in the barber science class for apprentices which has begun a 14-week course in the Amman building with Leon Johnston, secretary of the local, as instructor. At its last meeting the union expressed its thanks to officials of the Ouachita Vocational School for their assistance in establishing the training schools.

Some Don'ts for Pimples

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BUILDING PERMITS

Red Cross to remodel and repair a two-story brick building to be used for the Red Cross office, located at 200 South Grand street. The total cost will not exceed $400 and W. C. Salley will do the contracting.

R. C. Brice to add to a one-story concrete block building to be used for a residence, located at 13 Forsythe avenue. The total cost will not exceed $800 and John R. White will do the contracting.

T. J. McBroom to erect a one-story frame building to be used for a grocery and meat market, located at 809 Thomas street. The total cost will not exceed $300 and day labor will be used.

Isa Duboiss to erect a one-story frame building to be used for a dwelling, located at 1123 Alabama street. The total cost will not exceed $600 and the owner will do the building.

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IMPROPER LIGHTS PROVE EXPENSIVE

Drivers Pay Stiff Fines During Week As Troopers Arrest 33 More

While drivers arrested previously were being arraigned and paying fines of $5 to $7.50 and costs running as high as $17.50 in courts all over the Monroe district last week, state police booked 33 more for operating motor vehicles with improper lights during the week. One auto owner, a Negro, arrested for the second time since the renewal of the troopers' safety campaign, was fined $12.50 and costs and sentenced to serve 15 days in jail.

On the new list of persons charged with driving with defective lights were: L. C. Thomas, 23, of Jonesboro; D. S. Tidwell, 25, of Downsville, route one; F. L. Anderson, 38, of Baskin, route one; Famous Alexander, 25, of Ruston; W. T. Case, 35, of Winnsboro; W. H. Walker, Jr., 16, of Calhoun; W. R. Compton, Jr., 21, of Start; H. W. Gill, 38, of 115 Hudson Lane, Monroe; C. J. Ford, 46, of Winnsboro; Frank Jowers, 41, of West Monroe; C. E. Smith, 38, of Winnsboro; Henry Jones, 43, of Mangham; T. M. Scott, 43, of St. Joseph; J. T. Parnell, 45, of Winnsboro; Louis Aymond, 38, of Wisner; John Bowie, 31, of Winnsboro; J. R. Britt, 34, of Ferriday; Edward Bringol, 28, Amos J. Kennedy, 35, and Madison Floyd, 25, of Wisner; J. D. Smith, 28, and O. C. Smith, 33, of Winnsboro, and the following Negro drivers: C. M Brown of Alto, Floyd Weeks of Mangham, Mac Turner of Rayville, route three, Henry White of Extension, Neal Dennis of Monroe, route two, L. D. Hester of Colliston, Woodrow Wright of Lake Providence, P. M. Bowie of Oak Grove and Jack M. Blunt, Jesse Mizell and Robert Williams of Winnsboro.

Arrested on other charges by troopers during the week were Jack Miller Claude, 31, of West Monroe, disturbing the peace; Louis Todd, Negro, of Ruston, reckless driving; Nolan Hardy, Negro, of Kelly, reckless driving and passing halted school bus; Iley Evans, 35, and R. J. Moore, 27, of West Monroe, speeding and reckless driving; Cecil H. Finley, 22, of the O'Dell Hotel, Monroe, on bench warrant from Tensas parish criminal court; Charlie Johnson and Ike Hughes, Jr., Negroes, of Monroe, armed robbery; Breard Fitch, Negro, of Collinston, using spotlight on car, and Richard Johnson, Negro, of Pioneer, inadequate brakes.

Three persons were fined $100 and $12 costs for drunk driving. They were H. M. Lee, Jr., 23, white, and Ethiel Stubbs and Robert Patton, Negroes. Other convictions in state police cases were Edward E. Dingler, 28, theft, 30 days in jail; Albert Auttonberry, 18, negligent homicide, two year jail sentence suspended; LeRoy Moore, Negro, assault, $50 fine and 30 days in jail, and Cleve Bell, Negro, reckless driving, $25 fine and $12 costs.

EGG STEALERS PUNISHED

Taking eggs from a falcon's nest, in England, was an offense punishable by a year in prison and a heavy fine during the reign of Henry VII.

Mackenzie's Column

By DeWitt Mackenzie
(Associated Press Foreign Affairs Analyst)

The arguments in the United Nations political committee over how to deal with the Spanish regime have been hot, and they have been frank about Franco, but while the consensus is that the generalissimo's government must go, there is no unanimity about how to get rid of it.

The debates have ranged a wide field, but so far as I have noted nobody has ventured to put his finger on the basic cause of the differences among the U. N. members. Yet that cause is as plain as my Aberdeen terrier's long nose.

It's the same old ideological war that has produced the two great blocs—the Russian dominated nations and the western Democracies. One bloc wants to get rid of the Franco regime in such manner as will result in the establishment of a Soviet, while the other wishes to give the people of Spain a chance to have a really free election and pick their own government.

It's all very well to sit outside Spain in the robes of a prophet and guess what sort of government Spaniards want. But I was in that country early this year and don't believe there is any living person, in Spain or outside it, who knows how the people would vote in a free plebiscite. They might want a return of their monarchy, or they might declare for a republic. It's a matter of pure speculation, because they haven't had a free election in more than a decade.

Of one thing your correspondent is very certain: The people of Spain don't want any more civil war. The horrors of the last one are too fresh in most minds. And it's very obvious that unless the United Nations handle this highly complicated situation very carefully, civil war might be precipitated.

The United States already has noted this danger of civil strife officially and has taken a stand against any U. N. operation which might produce such a catastrophe. Britain and most of the western Democracies take a similar view. The French government, acting under very strong Communist influence, is for strong-arm tactics in getting rid of Franco.

Senator Tom Connally set forth the American viewpoint succinctly before the U. N. political committee the other day. He reiterated U. S. opposition to Franco and said he would welcome any Democratic change in Spain which would protect basic human rights and freedoms. Uncle Sam will take part in any necessary action against the present regime, under the U. N. Charter, if and when this regime becomes a threat to international peace and security. Pending such an eventuality America is opposed to coercive measures by the United Nations, such as severance of diplomatic relations or the imposition of economic sanctions. Britain agrees with that.

While we are on the topic of civil war it's well to note that civil war in Spain—or civil war in Greece, such as now is developing—could very easily produce another world conflict. Greece maintains that the left wing revolt within her borders is being inspired from without, which makes the situation doubly delicate, because she herself is backed by Britain and her Balkan neighbors are in the Russian fold. Civil war in Spain could produce an even more menacing position.

The attitude of the Franco regime to all this was reaffirmed today. The cabinet, after a meeting which lasted into the early morning hours, issued a communique reiterating the government's "firm determination" to maintain "the independence of the fatherland completely free of any kind of foreign interference."

BASTROP MAN JAILED HERE ON 4 CHARGES

Drunkenness, disorderly conduct, drawing a dangerous weapon and resisting arrest were all the charges police could think up immediately to file against a man identified as Freeman Howell, 34, of Bastrop, after two officers finally got him to city jail at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Howell created a disturbance in the lunch room of the Morgan and Lindsey store, 235 DeSiard after an attendant had ordered him to cease drinking from a bottle of liquor. He was said to have drawn a knife on a plainclothes policeman when placed under arrest and battled with two officers all the way to the station.



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18 TECHSTERS ARE RECOGNIZED

List Includes Two From Monroe In 'Who's Who' Publication

RUSTON, La., Dec. 7.—(Special)—Eighteen Louisiana Tech students have been selected for inclusion in the annual edition of "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities," W. L. Mitchell, dean of men and chairman of the selection committee at Tech, has announced.

The group, which includes 13 men and five women, a total based upon two per cent of the junior and senior enrollment, was chosen by the deans, department heads, and organizations presidents at the college.

Those selected include:

Men—Courtney A. (Mike) Reed, Ruston; Roger A. Kaufmann, Tulsa, Okla.; Travis Hughes, Alexandria; Pearce Didier, Baton Rouge; James A. Files, Vivian; Marvin R. McCarty, Shreveport; Jack Kelly, Shreveport; Willis E. Lewis, Ruston; W. O. Lynch, Jr., Shreveport; Neill S. Matthews, Monroe; Joe D. Crichtch, Shreveport; Henry Bernstein III, Monroe; Eddie B. Pohl, Monroe.

Women—Martha McDonald, Minden; Jennye Lou Evans, Ruston; Mary Alice Humble, Calhoun; Jo Olive, Ruston; Jessie Kennedy, Winnfield.

LOUISIANA ZOOLOGY STUDY IS PLANNED

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 7.—(AP)—Tulane University experts, asserting that Louisiana is relatively unexplored zoologically, are going to do some charting under a five-year research and survey program.

Attention will be devoted to frogs, toads, salanders, snakes and turtles, as well as fresh water fish, says Dr. Fred Cagle, associate professor in zoology in the college of arts and sciences.

"Under this program," Dr. Cagle explains, "we will attempt to discover what type of reptiles and amphibians there are in Louisiana, how they live, what they eat, how they reproduce and many similar questions."

After we know what's here, we can set about making a detailed study of these animals, he added.

Dr. Cagle said that under this program, which is sanctioned by the Tulane council of research, he expects to find heretofore unknown specimens of fish and amphibians.

HUNDREDS FEARFUL OF PHANTOM CITY

GALWAY, Erie, Dec. 7.—(AP)—An ancient prophesy that an island city would reappear from the sea drew hundreds of simple Gaelic-speaking fisherfolk to the south shore of Connemara Peninsula last night to watch strange and brilliant lights blinking on the horizon.

A storm churned the Atlantic and the watchers were convinced as they peered in the direction of the Aran Islands that the prophesy had been fulfilled.

Youngsters were thrilled, but the elders, more versed in the folklore, uttered a fervent prayer—go Sbahailadh dia sinn (may God protect us)—for didn't the ancient tale say that when the lost city reappeared all Galway would sink beneath the waves?

A reporter attempted to dispel the fears by telephoning the Aran Islands to ask what the lights were, but his efforts only deepened the gloom. The operator, without explaining the storm had fouled communications, said, "I am sorry, but there is no reply from Galway. They must be all dead in there."

Finally, on 30 Spanish trawlers taking shelter from the gale in the lee of the Aran Islands, the myriad of lights died out. The phantom city vanished.

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UPPER RIGHT: Miss Adrienne Gaston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan G. Gaston of this city, whose engagement and approaching marriage to Mr. John Hubert Duchkar is announced today.

UPPER LEFT: Mrs. L. E. Ducote (right) and her charming house guest, Mrs. W. B. Haynes of Fort Smith, Ark., were snapped by the society photographer at a recent dinner party honoring Mrs. Haynes. Dr. and Mrs. Haynes were extensively entertained during their visit in the Ducote home.



LOWER LEFT: Miss Valerie Hearn, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. John Elton Hearn of Chatham, La., whose engagement and approaching marriage to Mr. Marvin Cappel, Jr., son of Mrs. M. Cappel and the late Dr. Cappel has just been announced.

LOWER CENTER: Miss Joy Harper and her attractive house guest, Miss Nancy Wilkins, daughter of Mrs. F. D. Wilkins of Dallas, Texas, posed for their photograph during the Thanksgiving holidays in the home of Miss Harper's parents, Judge and Mrs. William Harper on Island Drive. Both are students at Sophie Newcomb College where Miss Wilkins is president of Kappa Alpha Theta sorority.





LOWER RIGHT: Mrs. Elizabeth N. P. Whitfield, lovely young dramatist who has been cast in the leading feminine role in the Little Theatre Play, "The Skin Of Our Teeth," to be presented on Tuesday and Wednesday nights at the Neville auditorium under the direction of Kay Crandall. Mrs. Whitfield is a distinct acquisition to Monroe's Little Theatre. Her charming accent will be heard to splendid advantage in the role of an English girl in Tuesday night's production. She was born and reared in Scotland.

IMPRESSIVE DOUBLE RING CEREMONY UNITES MISS RODDEN AND MR. PERRY LEE CROW

Of interest to friends in this section of the state is the announcement of the marriage of Miss Helen Rodden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Rodden of Pioneer, La., to Mr. Perry Lee Crow, son of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Crow, of Marion, La., November 2, 1946, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hayward Phillips, McGuire Addition of West Monroe, La.

The impressive double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. A. M. Serex in the presence of a few intimate friends and members of the families. The marriage vows were exchanged beneath white wedding bells which hung from the center of a high white arch, ornamented with ferns, white chrysanthemums and garlands of white satin ribbons. The tall candelabra supported white candles, which were lighted by Hugh J. Hundley.

Miss Lora Lawrence, the bride's only attendant, preceded her to the altar in a dusky pink wool suit with black accessories and a corsage of split dark pink carnations.

The bridegroom was attended by his brother, Mr. William M. Crow.

The bride, given in marriage by Mr. Hayward Phillips, wore a poudre blue suit with black accessories and a corsage of pink carnations and tube roses.

Clare de Lune and Liebestrom were softly rendered during the ceremony.

After extending of congratulations and best wishes to the young couple, a reception was held. Mrs. Hayward Phillips, Mrs. H. J. Hundley and Miss Lora Lawrence served the guests frosted punch and yellow and white mints and small cakes.

The bride's table was adorned with a golden-haired doll placed beneath an arch entwined with white chrysanthemums. The doll's full skirt was fashioned entirely of white "mums" and she carried a small bouquet of the same flowers.

The wedding cake, a three-tiered confection was surmounted with bride and groom figurines. After the confection was cut by the bride and groom, they departed on their honeymoon via the automobile route for Hot Springs, Ark.

Mrs. Crow, after graduating from Pioneer High School, completed studies at the Monroe Commercial College, and is presently employed by the Commercial Credit Company of Monroe. Mr. Crow is a graduate of the Marion High School and since his discharge from active service with the United States Army, has been connected with the Terminal Bag Factory of West Monroe.

Out of town guests on this occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Perry Crow, Mr. and Mrs. Max Crow and Miss Barbara Reppond, all of Marion, La., Mr. and Mrs. Jody Rodden, Pioneer, La., and Mr. and Hrs. Eunice Rodden, Epps, La.

CUT WEDDING CAKE



Mr. and Mrs. Perry Lee Crow whose recent marriage was an event of interest to a wide circle of friends. Mrs. Crow is the former Miss Helen Rodden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Rodden of Pioneer, La.

STAGE IS SET FOR BRILLIANT LITTLE THEATRE PRODUCTION 'THE SKIN OF OUR TEETH'

Kay Crandall, dynamic director for the Little Theatre in Monroe, is doing two jobs in one, directing "The Skin of Our Teeth", which will be presented Tuesday and Wednesday nights, 8:15 p. m. at Neville High School auditorium. Not only is she directing the cast, but she's also directing the committee working on the scenes effects.

No detail escapes her notice and she's a stickler for perfection. Kay has a rich background of experience, having directed GI plays in China, and has the distinction of being the only woman ever to direct a GI play in that area.

Before coming to Monroe she was assistant director of the Dramatic Playhouse, Long Island, New York.

The cast of "The Skin of Our Teeth" has twenty-one members, several of whom are doubling, and its direction is no small task.

Especial attention is being given the lighting, with Jase Johnson in charge, with Bobbie McClanahan, Oscar McDonald and Ran Phillips working on the projection crew.

Ross Eady, who will be cast in the role of the Judge and Conveener number One, is a graduate of USC, and is now majoring in psychology at Louisiana Tech.

Walter Mangham, who will play the part of the Mammouth and Convener, recently appeared in the Kiwanis minstrel show, and has sung on several radio programs.

Robert Nelson, recently of Lake Providence, has appeared in several operettas in that city and will portray the part of a bingo announcer in "The Skin of Our Teeth."

Morris Blumenthal is making his first appearance in a Little Theatre play, as the Doctor and Conveener number three.

Tommie Jane Lawhead, as the Drum Major and the assistant stage director in the play, is the glamorous drum major for the Neville High school band.

Sarah Smith, as bingo announcer, was on the set crew in "Claudia," a recent Little Theatre production.

James Sisco, the Telegraph boy in the play is also a drum major in the Neville High school band, and has worked in numerous productions, both back stage and in stage capacities.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herbie B. Ryland and two sons, Herbie Jr., and Thomas are spending a few days in New Orleans, Louisiana. They were accompanied by Mrs. Ryland's mother and sister, Mrs. Mable Lake and Miss Vera Lake. While in New Orleans they will be guests at the Monteleone Hotel.

A group of Federated Club members met in the home of Mrs. Julius Chandler to make plans for a tea honoring Mrs. A. D. Tisdale for her untiring, unselfish services during her three year term as State President of the Louisiana Federated Womens Clubs, on Friday, December 20th from 3:30 to 5:30 p. m.

Mrs. T. H. Scott has graciously offered the use of her home for this artistic event of interest to all clubwomen of the Twin Cities. Mrs. H. V. Collins was named General Chairman of Arrangements, Mrs. Herbert Breard, Musical Program chairman; and Mrs. D. L. Nicol, Publicity chairman. Representatives members of each of the nine federated clubs in the Twin Cities will take part in making this one of the outstanding affairs of the holiday season. These clubs are: Altrurian, Atheneum, Bobashelas, Delta Rho Delta, Literary Guild, Miro Book Club, Monroe Literary Club, the Review Club, and the Welcome Branch of Twentieth Century Book Club.

During the afternoon Mrs. Chandler graciously served coffee to the following: Mrs. Herbert Breard, Mrs. P. E. Massey, Mrs. Walter C. Minniear, Mrs. H. V. Collins, Mrs. A. L. Peters, Mrs. D. L. Nicol and Mrs. W. D McGee, Jr.

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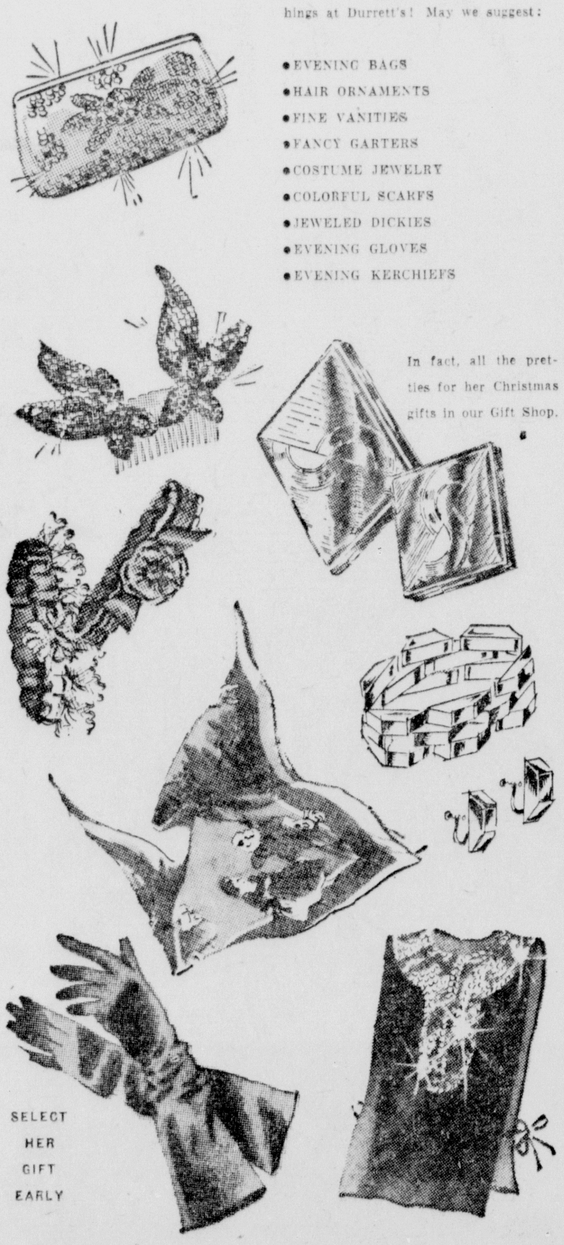
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Impressive Double Ring Ceremony Takes Place At West Monroe Methodist Church

A lovely wedding characterized by simplicity and dignity was performed on Friday, November 29, at the First Methodist Church in West Monroe at six o'clock in the evening when Miss Louise Hawkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hawkins, became the bride of Mr. James G. Caldwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff W. Caldwell.

The impressive double ring ceremony was performed by the pastor, Reverend W. H. Giles, in the presence of relatives and close friends of both families.

The altar was effectively decorated with graceful floor baskets of white gladioli and fern. Myriad tapers in orchid candelabra burned in the background.

The organist, Mrs. Jack Willis, rendered a beautiful pre-nuptial concert. While the ushers, Mr. Bob Powell and Mr. Lee Melton lighted the candles, the strains of Ave Maria filled the church. As a musical background for the exchanging of the marriage vows Mrs. Willis played Au Clair de Lune.

Mr. Irving Zeidman, soloist, sang "I Love Thee," by Grieg, and Shubert's "Serenade." As the young couple knelt at the altar in prayer, Mr. Zeidman sang: "The Lord's Prayer."

Mrs. Amos Hood, sister of the bride, served as matron of honor. She wore a wood brown crepe street length model with a gold metallic cloth hat and brown accessories. She carried an arm bouquet of yellow chrysanthemums.

The groom was attended by his best man, Mr. Jasper Haddad.

The bride, a beautiful brunette, was never lovelier than when she walked down the aisle on the arm of her father, who gave her in marriage. She was attired in a grey wool gabardine tailleu. The coat which was fashioned with a ripple peplum was fastened with gold buttons in rhinestone settings. Her blouse of oyster-white silk had insets of silk embroidery. She wore a half-hat of grey with a short veil and carried on a small testament a single orchid surrounded with tube roses from which depended satin streamers.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents.

Mrs. Hawkins, wearing a black crepe model with a sequin studded net yoke and a corsage of white carnations and Mrs. Caldwell, also in black crepe with a corsage of pink carnations, graciously welcomed the throng of friends who called to felicitate the bride and congratulate the groom.

The groom's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Erskine of Columbia, also stood in the receiving line.

On the mantle of the living room was a beautiful arrangement of white chrysanthemums and fern. The light of a myriad tall white candles, which was caught and reflected in the mirror above the mantle, accentuated the beauty of the florai decorations.

The guests were invited into the dining room where Miss Maible Hood, attired in a black gown with fuschia-colored sequin trim and a black and fuschia hat and wearing a corsage of crimson carnations, presided at the punch bowl. The dining table was overlaid with a handsome hand-embroidered cloth. The punch bowl at one end of the table was nested in an arrangement of maiden-hair fern, studded with daisies. At the opposite end of the table candles in crystal holders were arranged on an oval reflector, surrounded by fern and daisies. Miss Hood was assisted in extending courtesies by Mesdames George Bennett, Clyde Mitchell, S. B. Wirth, Ruth Poimboeuf, Jules Watts, and T. L. Hood, Jr., who passed crystal trays of individual wedding cake. Little Miss Amy Hood, niece of the bride, passed green and white wedding ring mints among the guests.

Immediately following the ceremony the young couple left on a honeymoon trip to Mexico. Upon their return, they will be at home in an apartment in West Monroe.

Mrs. Caldwell, a charming and talented young woman, graduated from Ouachita Parish High School nad attended Northwestern State College where she received her degree in music. She is a member of Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority and Kappa Delta Pi, national honorary sorority. She is presently employed by the California Oil Co.

Mr. Caldwell graduated from Ouachita Parish High School and attended Northeast Center and Louisiana Tech, leaving the latter school when he received an appointment to Annapolis. He enlisted in the United States Marine Corps early in 1942. He served overseas for twenty-eight months, receiving his discharge in December, 1945. He is at present field auditor for the state department of revenue.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Otis Brown, who have made their home in Washington, D. C. for the past eighteen years are happy to be back in Monroe again and installed in their lovely new home in Edgewater Gardens. They endeavored to express their happiness last Wednesday night when they extended courtesies to old friends who responded to the gracious invitation to attend their open house.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown welcome the guests in the spacious living room where beautiful flowers were banked against the pale green walls.

Mrs. Brown was wearing a lovely dinner gown of black crepe adroitly draped at one side.

Delicious refreshments were served in the candelit dining room. Mrs. Brown's sister, Mrs. Denie Harris, presided over the silver tea and coffee service placed at the end of the table. Mrs. W. M. Parnell, another sister of Mrs. Brown's, assisted in serving the refreshments. More than fifty guests called during the evening. Several friends and relatives from out of town were also present.

Miss Reams Is The Bride Of Luther M. Witt

Enlisting widespread interest throughout this section of the state was the wedding of Miss Elizabeth Reams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Reams of this city and Mr. Luther Marvin Witt of Nacogdoches Texas, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Witt of that city.

Rev. Carroll Chadwick, Baptist minister, performed the double ring ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Albea of Nacogdoches were the couple's only attendants.

The bride wore a lovely aqua marine costume suit with brown accessories. Her corsage was of white carnarnations and sweetheart roses.

Mrs. Albea wore a dark green costume suit with black accessories. Her corsage was of pink and white sweetheart roses.

The bride was a member of the U. S. Army Nurses Corps. during World War II and served two years overseas in the European theater of operations, holding the rank of captain at the time of her release from services in 1946.

At present she is on the staff of City Memorial hospital in Nacogdoches.

The bridegroom served four years with the Second Infantry on Indian head division. He spent two years overseas in the European theater of operation. He was honorably discharged in November, 1945.

Immediately after the wedding an informal reception was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hitt. A beautiful three-tiered wedding cake was cut by the bride.

Punch and individual cake was served to their many friends.

Out of town guests were: Mrs. E. W. Reams, mother of the bride, of Monroe; Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Fuller and daughter Harriett, of Shreveport, La.; Mrs. John Harper of Monroe; Mrs. Leo Skeen of Overton, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Thurston of Lufkin, Texas; Mrs. Ethel Wallace, Miss Jean Wallace and Mrs. Olivia Bounds of Shreveport.

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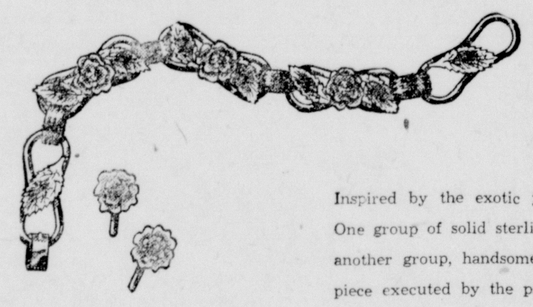
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OUT-OF TOWN WEDDINGS

The wedding of Miss Mary Hilma Dale, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Leroy Dale and William Sinclair Pierce, son of Mrs. Claude Stone Pierce and the late Mr. Pierce, took place at the plantation home of the bride's parents east of Tallulah on Tuesday evening with Rev. Father R. M. Maure officiating at the impressive double-ring ceremony in the presence of relatives and a few close friends.

Floor baskets filled with superb white chrysanthemums against a background of palms and ferns and white cathedral candles in graduated candelabra formed a beautiful setting for the ceremony.

Mrs. Joe Milton Clark, the bride's only attendant wore pink chiffon and carried a bouquet of pink chrysanthemums tied with green satin ribbon. Accompanied by her mother, Mrs. James Davis, she sang Gounod's "Ave Maria and "I Love You Truly," by Bond. This was followed by the wedding march and during the signing of the marriage certificate Mrs. Clark sang, "Because."

The bride, given in marriage by her father was lovely in her wedding gown of white taffeta fashioned with a fitted bodice, long sleeves ending in lily points over the hands, lace yoke with a round neckline trimmed with a ruffle of lace. The old-fashioned hoop skirt was draped in front to reveal an insert of lace ruffles and the finger-tip veil fell from a coronet of pearls. She carried a prayer book on a background of two hearts made of maline from which fell a shower bouquet of tuberoses centered with an orchid. For something old she carried an heirloom linen lace-trimmed handkerchief which had been made in Italy.

Robert Graves served the bridegroom as best man.

An informal reception was held after the wedding. The tea table with its hand-made lace cover was centered with a two-tiered heart-shaped wedding cake, beautifully embossed and topped with a miniature bride and groom. Gleaming white tapers in crystal holders stood at either end and the floral decorations were white chrysanthemums.

Iced punch and cake were served.

The couple left for a short honeymoon trip to an unannounced destination and on their return will reside in Ruston where Mr. Pierce is attending Louisiana Polytechnic Institue. For traveling the bride wore a suit of dark green wool with an orchid corsage and blac': accessories.

Mrs. Pierce is a graduate of the Tallulah High School and Peabody College at Nashville, Tenn. For the past two years she has conducted a school of the dance in Tallulah. Mr. Pierce is a graduate of the Tallulah High School and a commercial school. He is a veteran of World War II, having served in the army air forces.

Miss Annie Marie Paul, attractive daughter of Mrs. C. A. Riggs, Jr., of Jonesville, and Ernest Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Davis, of Ferriday, were united in marriage Tuesday afternoon. The impressive double-ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Joseph H. Hamilton, pastor of the Ferriday Baptist Church at the pastor's home.

The bride was attired in a beautiful dark gray dressmaker's suit with black accessories and a corsage of white camellias. Her only attendant, Miss Martha Gibson, wore a beautiful gray suit with black accessories and a corsage of white camellias. Mr. Davis had as his best man, Eugene Hutchinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis are both graduates of the Ferriday High School. Mrs. Davis has been, for some time, employed by the Ferriday Hospital and Mr. Davis is employed with a Seismograph Company. They will make their home in Ferriday following a brief bridal tour.

The interest of friends is centered in the marriage of Miss Betty Jo Taunton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Taunton, of Haile, La., and Mr. Carroll H. Duke, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Duke, of Ruston, La. The impressive double-ring ceremony was solemnized Thursday evening, November 14, at 7:00 o'clock at the First Baptist Church in West Monroe with Rev. C. E. Autrey officiating with relatives and close friends witnessing the ceremony.

The bride wore a beautiful model of pale aqua crepe with accessories of winter white. Her corsage was of white baby pinks and tube lilies and her only ornament was a single strand of pearls, belonging to the bride's mother. She carried out the old tradition of something old, something new, something borrowed, and something blue.

The bride's maid of honor, Miss Velma Bush, was attired in a two-piece suit of blue gabardine with black accessories.

Mrs. Duke is a graduate of Linville High School, Linville, La., and Northeast Junior College, Monroe, La. At the time of her marriage, she was employed in the office of the Monroe Wholesale Drug.

The groom is a graduate of Ruston High School and Louisiana Tech, Ruston, La. He has been employed with the Kellogg Sales Company for the past three years.

For traveling the bride wore a light wool suit of gray with black accessories.

After a short wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Duke will make their home in Monroe, La.

WILL WED IN FEBRUARY



Miss Maurine Payne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Payne, whose engagement and approaching marriage to Mr. W. E. Ezell, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ezell of West Monroe, has just been announced.

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This is Universal Bible Sunday. Our sermon subject is: "Attend To Your Reading." What is the Bible? Is it outmoded? Is it of worth and how should it be read? Does a daily reading pay? If so, how?

The vesper worship is informal. The great songs are sung, and the message is practical. "A Great Man" is our theme. Why is the man we are to consider called great?

The attendance at the Sabbath School is on the upgrade. If you will attend, if you will manifest interest by your presence, then the attendance will reach the goal set, 300. We will reach this goal because we ought to reach it.

The Lord Jesus Christ expects every Presbyterian to do his duty, and one of the duties is fidelity to the hours of worship. "Not every one that saith unto me Lord, Lord, shall inherit the Kingdom, but he that does the will of my Father who is in heaven."

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH
3400 Lee Avenue
C. Roger Johnson, Pastor

"A Model Church" will be the subject of the pastor's sermon at the Morning Worship Service at 10:50. Question and Answer night will be continued at the evening worship hour at 7:30. You are invited to attend all the worship services of this church. Sunday School is at 9:45, Training Union and Brotherhood at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting and choir practice on Wednesday night at 7:30 p. m.

RIDGE AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH
A. T. Mitchell, Pastor
Clyde Fulton, Music Director
Doris Brown, Pianist

The Men's Memorial Bible class had 52 present last Sunday and we are expecting 60 this Sunday. All departments of the Sunday School should be growing in every church. We extend a very cordial invitation to any not attending to visit our church.

"The Lord's Supper" will be the subject of the pastor Sunday at 11 a. m. We will also observe the Lord's Supper. "The Call of God" will be the subject at 7:15 p. m.

Sunday School 10 a. m. Orrell Hayton, superintendent, Training Union 6:15 p. m. Mrs. Dorman B. Gee, director, Brotherhood 6:15 p. m. F. A. Brown, president, W. M. U. Tuesday 2 p. m. Mrs. Curtis Freeman, president.

If you live in our community, you will find a real welcome at Ridge Avenue Baptist church "The Friendly Church."

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
West Monroe, Louisiana
Dr. C. E. Autrey, Pastor
Dr. E. A. Autrey, Co-Pastor
O. F. Watts, Education-Music

"The Challenge of Christ" will be the subject of the message by the co-pastor at the morning hour. In Revelation, chapter 1, verses 17 and 18, we have Christ's greatest challenge; one that should stir every heart to positive action, a challenge that should disperse the shadows of fear and unbelief and produce peace and victory in lives of individuals as well as nations. The message by the pastor at the evening hour will be "Today Is Ours."

9:45 a. m. Sunday School.
10:50 a. m. Morning Worship.
1:30 p. m. Baptist Hour.
6:30 p. m. Training Union and Brotherhood.
7:30 p. m. Evening Worship.
Snday School lesson taught over KMLB 5:00 p. m. Saturday.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
(Disciples of Christ)
St. John and Oak Streets
R. T. Watson, Minister
E. M. Wooten, Choir Director
Miss Patricia Lee Padgett, Pianist

Church School at 9:45 a. m. Worship, at 10:50 a. m. Sermon topic: "The Word of Power for a Power Age." C. Y. F., at 5:30 p. m., and 6:30 p. m. Evening service, 7:30. An hour of good congregational singing, fine fellowship, and a brief meditation by the minister. Mid-week prayer service, Wednesday, at 7:30 p. m.

TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Filer J. Seal, Pastor
West Monroe, La.

The Trinity Baptist Church begins its revival Sunday, December 8 and will run thru Sunday, December 15. We invite all our friends throughout the Twin Cities to be with us in these services. Come and bring the whole family. We would like for you to take this opportunity to get acquainted with our new pastor. Rev. Filer J. Seal, pastor, will do the preaching. Mr R. L. Mercer will lead the singing. Services each evening at 7:00 p. m.

10:00 a. m. Sunday School.
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship.
6:30 p. m. B. T. U.
7:30 p. m. Evening Worship.

CHURCH OF GOD
South Second Street
J. C. Grubbs, Pastor

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Worship Services, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Young People's Meeting, 6:30 p. m.
A cordial invitation to all.

TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH
601 Plum Street
E. L. Averett, D. D., Pastor
H. S. Clawson, S. S. Superintendent
Mrs. H. O. Jenkins, B. T. U. Director

Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Morning Worship 11 a. m.
Sermon theme: "Christian Comrades."
B. T. U., 6:30 p. m.
Evening Worship, 7:15 p. m.
Sermon theme: "The Supreme Architect."
Those who worship with us find a cordial welcome and spiritual fellowship.

EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH
North Fifth and Breard
(In the Heart of Monroe)
N. T. Smith, Pastor
I. J. Brooks, Honorary Pastor
Lloyd Mercer, Music Director

Our revival begins today. Rev. E. E. Smith, Shreveport, will be the visiting evangelist. He needs no introduction to Monroe as he is one of our denominational leaders and is field worker in the Sunday School board.

Rev. Smith will be with us one week. He will teach the men's Bible class Sunday at 10 a. m. and will preach at 11 a. m. and every night through the 13th. Night services are at 7 p. m.

Rev. Grant Clark, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, will lead song services with Mrs. S. B. Hancock, pianist.

A welcome awaits one and all who worship with us, not only at this meeting but also at all services of this church. Visit the fastest growing church in Monroe.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
1100 Jackson Street
John T. Smithson, Minister

Bible study at 9:45 a.m.
Preaching at 10:50 a.m.
Fellowship and Communion at 11:45 a.m.
Preaching at 7:30 p.m.
Ladies' Bible Study Tuesday at 3:00 p.m.
Mid-week Bible study Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

We expect all to be on hand and help make these services good. The year will soon be passed. What will your record show when you check up on the year's work? Will you be pleased with it? It will not be changed when you see it in the judgment from what you make it while here. Think it over!

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
Harrison and D.Arbonne
2 Blocks South of Northeast Junior College
Rev. N. Widiger, Pastor

Divine services will be held Sunday morning beginning at 10:45. The sermon will deal with the second coming of Jesus Christ on Judgement Day and the signs which shall preceed his coming. The theme will be "Are You Ready."

Sunday School and Bible Class will begin at 9:45. Attendance awards will be given and promotions will be held for each department.

Walther League meeting will convene Monday evening at 8:00.

The Ladies Aid of the church will meet at the home of Mrs. E. Reinhardt, 2304 Jasmine, at 2:30, Tuesday afternoon.

One of the finest religious broadcasts on the air may be heard over station KNOE, when the Lutheran Hour is broadcast on Sunday afternoons at 2:00.

COLLEGE PLACE BAPTIST CHURCH
(Two Blocks South of Junior College)
C. S. Cadwallader, Jr., Pastor
D. C. Black, Director of Music
Mrs. M. McDuffie, Ed. Secretary

9:45, the church teaching: Bible School, F. M. Durham, superintendent.

10:50, the church worshiping: The pastor will preach on the subject: "Then The Fire Fell."

3:00 p. m. Mr. R. G. LeTourneau, God's Business Man, will speak at the Neville High School auditorium here in Monroe to the great mass meeting. A combined men's chorus from the two first churches in the Twin City will be a blessing to us in a musical way. The chorus will be directed by Mr. O. F. Watts, of the First Baptist Church, West Monroe. The congregation will be lead by Mr. B. B. Fields of First Baptist Church, Monroe.

6:30, the church training: 1. Training Union: C. C. Kornmann, director, 2. Brotherhood, W. L. Jones, Jr., president.

7:30 the church evangelizing: Our visiting evangelist will preach for us at the evening service. Dr. C. E. Autrey will be with us for one week only preaching at the evening services.

MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH
N. J. C. Auditorium
Rev. George Pearce, Jr., Pastor

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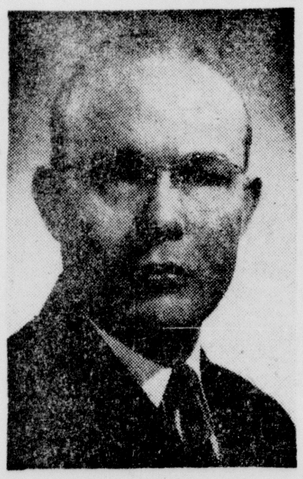
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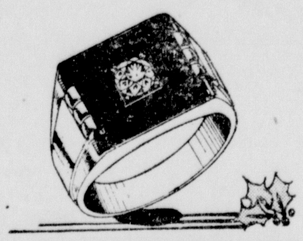
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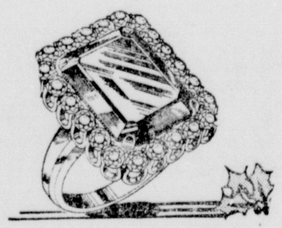
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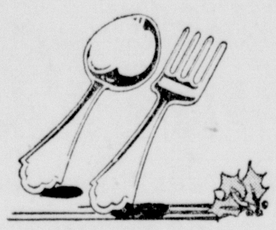
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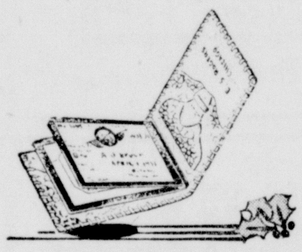
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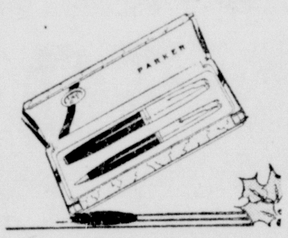
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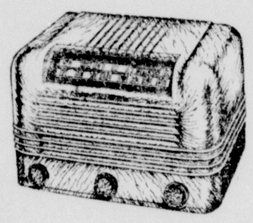
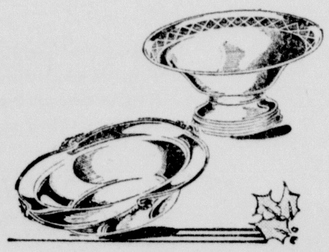


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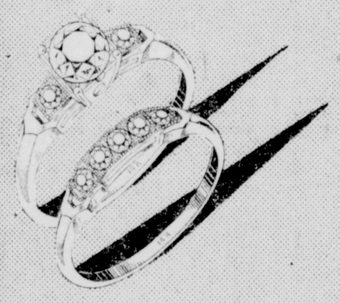
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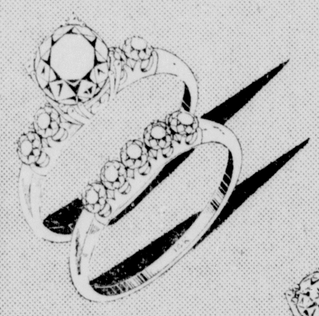
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MRS. PEROT, MRS. BERNSTEIN TALK ON SUBJECT OF 'ASIA' AT LITERARY GUILD MEETING

"Races Of Mankind," the interesting subject for study this year by members of the Literary Guild inspired two excellent papers at the December meeting in the home of Mrs. E. D. Holloway with Mrs. DeWitt Milam, co-hostess.

Mrs. Herbert, the president, presided over the short business session and introduced Mrs. P. L. Perot who spoke on the subject of "Ancient Asia," and Milling Bernstein who presented a paper on "Asia."

Mrs. Perot said in part:

"The Book is one of the most complete historical backgrounds of the continent of Asia. Each chapter is devoted to a single country, giving a complete description of each and carrying its own conclusion. Dorothy Thompson says it is indispensable and urgently important.

Mr. Gunther spent nearly a year traveling some 30,000 miles throughout the east and in the preparation of the book, took several years. Since so much has happened in the seven years since it was published that it is most important for the historical background it gives Asia.

It is built upon the personalities of such key figures as the Emperor of Japan, Chiang Kai Shek, the Soong Sisters, Manuel Quezon, Gandhi and others. Mr. Gunther has sketched the old and new Imperialism of Asia such as the Dutch in the East Indies, the French in Indo China, the Americans in the Philippines, the Japanese in Manchukuo and China and the British almost everywhere.

As to single countries, Mr. Gunther predicted war with Japan in 1938 by saying that she was on the march and nothing would stop her except force stronger than Japan. China, he says, is as old as Japan is young, as charming as Japan is crude, as amiable as Japan is sinister, as cultivated and gracious as Japan is dynamic and efficient. In India, vast numbers of people are struggling for sunlight of education and freedom from the Hindu religion, the caste system and centuries of outworn traditions. Asia has been for centuries the loot of Europe. The history of modern Asia has been that of western powers struggling among themselves for the rich and prostrate body of the Eastern continent.

Asia, is the continent of religious bondage and repression. The religious attitude leads to mysticism—as in Japan and India, to resignation in China, and to murder as in Palestine.

The most militant of the great religions is the Mohammedan with 250 million in Asia. Religion in Asia produces a sense of the past rather than of the present, of looking backward. Poverty is unspeakably greater than anywhere else in the world. We must not overlook the family system in Asia, where family groups are more cohensive and play a far greater role in politics than in the west.

Finally, Pan-Asia is an illusion, one can speak of Europe as a whole, but not Asia. It is too big to be a unit It is three continents in one.

Mrs. Bernstein, speaking of Ancient China with particular emphasis on Confuscius by reviewing book "Master Kung," said in part:

Mr. Carl Crow in his book has tried to tell the story of the man rather than the sage. He tells us that Master Kung was a sincere, lovable scholar and gentleman, who was born in the 6th Century before Christ. Confuscius was the creation of generations of later scholars who defied the man and interpreted his acts and sayings in such a way as to make an intellectual Frankenstein born between the covers of a textbook. In telling of the life of Master Kung, he gives us a very good picture of the people of that time, their customs, ways of living, and government.

The country in which Master Kung was born—now known as Shangtung—had no distinguishing name. To these people it was the only country—they know nothing of the outside world and built up their own civilization without the aid of foreigners. They have never known themselves as Chinese—a name given them by Europeans from the short-lived rule of the Chins.

They learned how to grow crops, build houses and raise their own food even tho isolated by a wall of barbarism. They learned to give and take in marriage—instead of following the earlier custom of capturing wives. Also to make silk from wild cocoons. Later they learned how to feed the silkworms on mulberry leaves and to produce a textile more wonderful than that produced from oak leaves.

Mrs. Bernstein traced the history of Kung's life through childhood, early manhood with special emphasis on his desire always for study and reflection which he loved to do so much. He gave up his job as tithe collector and started his career as teacher and scholar. Made an intense study of government of his state of Lu. On a trip to the capitol of Lazang he met a mystic whose teaching formed the basis of Tooism, the only native religion of China. Kung studied these customs, music, architecture and all the arts while in Lazang. For this he became the leading scholar of Lu. Men of importance sent their sons to study under him.

During a period of internal strife he tried to help the Duke, the ruler, to regain his power, but failed. Later, however, Kung held many important government positions and accomplished notable reforms which finally led to his appointment as Minister of Public Affairs, and later Minister of Crime. He is noted for his use of the jury system.

At the close of the program the hostesses invited the members to the dining room, which had been decorated with Christmas Holly, Mistletoe and Red Candles. A delicious course of salad, sandwiches, fruitcake, mints and coffee was served with Mrs. W. M. Harper pouring.

The following members were present: Mrs. P. L. Perot, Mrs. Milling Bernstein, Mrs. B. M. McKoin, Mrs. Leo Terzia, Mrs. W. M. Harper, Mrs. Duncan Cook, Mrs. Herbert Breard, Mrs. A. D. Tisdale and the two hostesses, Mrs. Holloway and Mrs. Milam.

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SOCIALLY speaking

Members of Beta Study club, Shreveport, are planning an afternoon tea complimentary to Mrs. A. D. Tisdale, retiring state president of the Federated Women's clubs of Louisiana. Mrs. Tisdale is the most popular president ever holding office in this state and club women in every section of Louisiana are endeavoring to express their sincere appreciation for the splendid work accomplished during her regime. The tea in Shreveport will take place in the George Haddad home on Thora Boulevard, December 11.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fudickar will have as their holiday guests their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pace, and two children, of Tulsa, Okla.

Mrs. O. M. Graham was privileged to spend the Thanksgiving holidays in her childhood home in Bolivar, Tenn. She was accompanied to Bolivar by her daughter, Mrs. O. R. Lewis and Mr. Lewis and their son, Grisham.

Mrs. Thomas Leigh left last week for Ogden, Utah, to visit her daughter, Mrs. Richard Faust and Dr. Faust. She was accompanied by her small grandson, Dickey Faust, who has been spending the past three weeks with her. They were accompanied as far as St. Louis by Mr. Leigh.

Mrs. Russell Simpson left the first of the week for Tuscaloosa, Ala., to visit her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Simpson Jr. She will spend the Christmas holidays with her mother in Alabama and will be joined later by Mr. Simpson.

MRS. C. H. DUKE



Mrs. Duke, bride of recent date, is the former Miss Betty Jo Taunton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Taunton, of Haile, La.

Mrs. Barnett Is Hostess To The Review Club

Mrs. F. V. Barnett extended the hospitality of her home to members of the Review Club Monday afternoon. Artistic arrangements of colorful autumn flowers brightened the living room.

The meeting was opened with the reading, in unison, of the Club Collect.

Mrs. DeWitt Henry, president, presided during the business session.

Mrs. C. B. Braun, legislation chairman, urged club members to keep abreast of the times; to be alert concerning our national and state legislative measures.

Mrs. A. T. Givens, chairman of the department of education, cited for comparative analysis, salaries paid school teachers, with that of other occupations as given by Harold E. Stassen before the Parents Institute, in New York, recently. No nation that is prosperous and civilized and free can afford to neglect the economic standing of its teachers. Millions of children look to American schools for better education.

"The Rich Mine of the Past" was the subject of the afternoon's program announced by Mrs. Braun, member of the advisory board. One of the most conspicuous trends in book fashions of the immediately past twenty years has been the vogue for historical novels. In addition to the scholarly ability to assimilate the facts of history the two authors studied in this program possess unusual gifts of insight and imagination—giving fresh grace and color to the rebirth of famaliar stories.

Mrs. Braun introduced Mrs. W. T. Davis and Mrs. H. W. Colbert, who reviewed 'David the King," by Gladys Schmitt, and "My Lady of Cleves," by Margaret Barnes, respectively.

Through the magic of prose which has the essence of poetry, Gladys Schmitt has evoked the story of God's most magnificent sinner, David, the second king of Israel.

"My Lady of Cleves" is the rich and racy story of England's bluebeard king, Henry VIII, and his most extraordinary wife, Anne of Cleves, the simple Flemish princess whose innate faith, sincerity and lack of guile gave to her life, and to the lives around her, a lustre that still glows.

The club president closed the meeting with the following words of Henry Van Dyke: "Be glad of life because it gives you the chance to love and to work and to play and to look up at the stars; be satisfied with your possessions but not content with yourself until you have made the best of them; despise nothing in the world except falsehood and meanness and fear nothing except cowardice; be governed by your admirations rather than your disgusts; covet nothing that is your neighbor's except his kindness of heart and gentleness of manners, think seldom of your enemies, often of your friends."

During the enjoyable social hour that followed the hostess, assisted by Mrs. H. C. Aehle and Mrs. Earl Hitt, served a delicious dessert course with hot coffee to Mrs. C. B. Braun, Mrs. Z. J. Byrd, Mrs. Rodney Cline, Mrs. S. A. Collins, Mrs. H. W. Colbert, Mrs. E. P. Cudd, Mrs. W. T. Davis, Mrs. A. T. Givens, Mrs. C. P. Gray, Jr., Mrs. DeWitt Henry, Mrs. A. S. Huffman, Mrs. J. C. Loftin, Mrs. D. M. Moore, Mrs. J. P. Noel and Mrs. Sam Smith.

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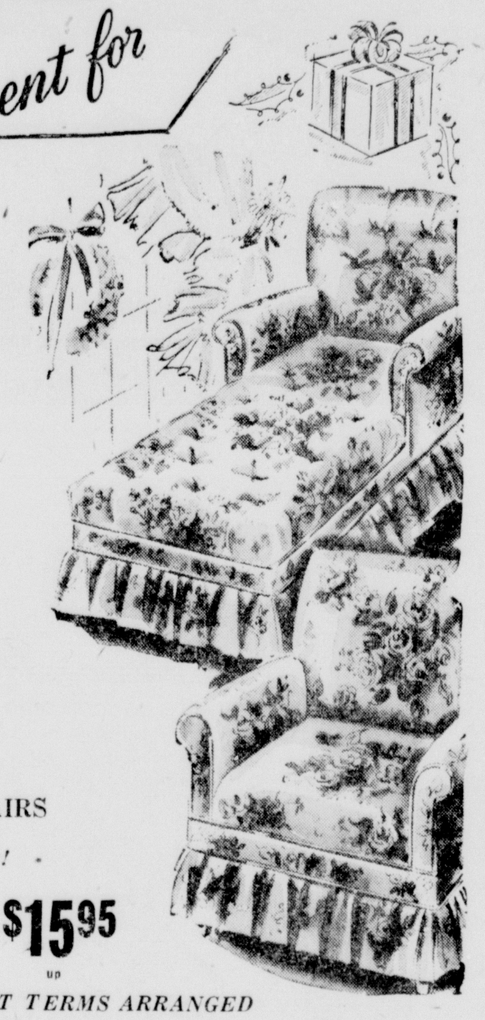
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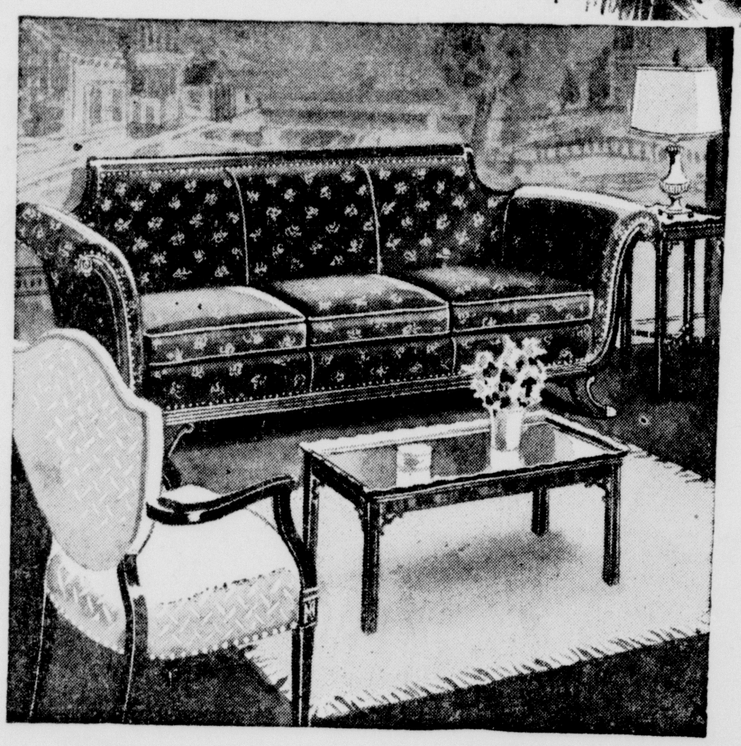
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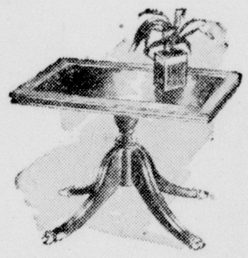
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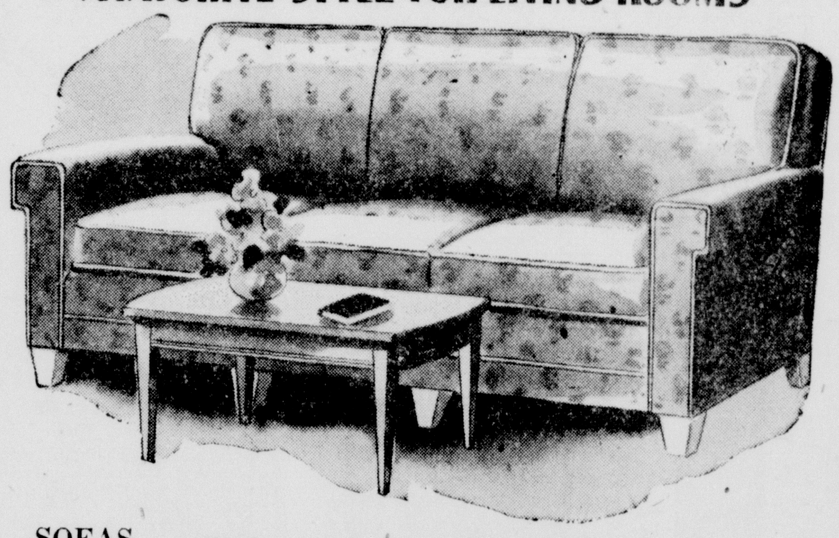
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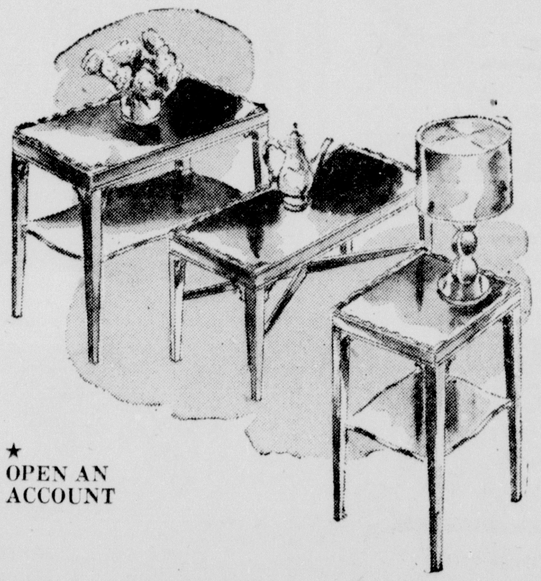


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Objet d'Art From The Orient Displayed In The Home Of Mrs. J. R. Coulter

Among the shining hours leading up to the season of festivity was the tea in the home of Mrs. J. R. Coulter on St. John Drive with members of the program committee of the Welcome Garden Club serving as hostesses. They were Mrs. Julius Chandler, Mrs. J. A. Reid, Mrs. J. P. Lewis, Mrs. D. L. Nicol, Mrs. P. B. Snodgrass, Mrs. W. A. Smith and Mrs. Coulter.

Members and guests were greeted graciously by Mrs. Coulter and ushered into the living room and sun room by Mrs. Nicol where members were privileged to see the ornaments, vases and novelties which had been sent to Mrs. Coulter by their son during his sojourn in the orient. Briefly, there were the carved likenesses of natives of solid mahogany from Bali; the pairs of Chinese lacquer vases on either ends of the mantlepieces in each room; the carved black ebony elephant from Africa, as well as ebony crane reflected in the mirror in the sunroom. An alabaster plate made of the materials used in the Taj Mahal was beautiful to behold.

Between two brass urns on the mantlepiece in the living room was placed a Japanese container on a teakwood base in which an autumn arrangement of orange crysanthemums and coleus was placed. In a rose bowl on a coffee table overflowed with orchid chrysanthemums. in the sunroom another arrangement of chrysanthemums, pomegranite and coleus was observed.

After a conversational hour was enjoyed, members and their guests were ushered into the dining room where the club president, Mrs. J. A. Reid presided over the antique silver coffee service. The table was overlaid with an imported hand-made cloth. The monochromatic color theme blended into all shades of purple arrangement at the opposite end of the table was a work of art varying from the deep purple of the purple turnip and egg plant on around the color chart or spectrum to pomegranite, egg plant, grapes, and okra.

Delicious canapes, sandwiches and tea cakes were passed among the guests by Mrs. Smith, assisted by Mrs. Chandler and Mrs. Lewis.

The Japanese tea set on the buffet as well as sets of miniature Japanese vases were admired at this time.

Coming from a place closer home, Lima, Peru, was the tall silver vase with quite a story behind it, making it one of Mrs. Coulter's treasured possessions.

Calling during the tea hours were the following members and guests: Mrs. W. C. Oliver, Mrs. E. P. Cudd, Mrs. G. D. Holland, Mrs. J. W. Womack, Mrs. James A. Bailey, Mrs. J. C. Anders, Mrs. L. A. Branch, Mrs. C. W. DeLand, Mrs. R. W. Bandy, Mrs. E. R. Williams, Mrs. W. B. Wheelis, Mrs. M. W. Massee, Mrs. Gus Swayze, Mrs. R. E. Davis, Mrs. M. W. Edington, Mrs. G. L. Holloway, Mrs. J. P. Royce, Mrs. R. R. Griffith, Mrs. Bert Gambrell, Mrs. Robert Layton, Mrs. E. B. Johnson, Mrs. H. B. Cannon, Mrs. A. G. Olcott, Mrs. Z. T. Stone, Mrs. Floyd Stone, Mrs. F. C. Latimer, Mrs. Fred Hanna, Mrs. D. F. Dennis, Mrs. C. H. Tait, Mrs. C. T. Johnson, Mrs. E. W. Sartain, Mrs. W. L. Mitchell, Mrs. W. C. Feazel, Mrs. E. L. Page, Mrs. E. G. Snipes, Mrs. I. W. Rogers, Mrs. Carey Holmes Mrs. P. E. Massey, Mrs. A. R. Butler, Mrs. Max Massey, Mrs. Thomas J. Kearns of Chino, California; Mrs. H. A. McDonald, Mrs. Sam Humphries Mrs. A. S. Tidwell, Mrs. C. E. Koonce, Mrs. E. P. Jenevein, Mrs. Charles Swain, Mrs. W. C. Patrick, Bloomington, Indiana; Mrs. W. C. Fisher, Mrs. O. R. Brauer and Mrs. V. S. Garnett.

Society Calendar

Sunday

Regular meeting of Alpha Delta Kappa Sorority in the home of Miss Jeanette Pace, 210 Claiborne, West Monroe. 2 p. m.

Meeting of Phi Kappa fraternity with Joe Kerns. 2 p. m.

Meeting of inter fraternity council with Miss Joan Merideth, 1702 North Second. 7:30 p. m.

Annual banquet of the Catholic Daughters of America at the Virginia Hotel at 12 o'clock noon. For reservations call 925.

Miss Bennie Hughes and Miss Betty Ann Taylor, hostesses at luncheon, La Casa tea room, for Miss Clarice Slagle.

Members of the St. Matthew's Parish Sodality will receive communion in a body at the 9:30 Mass, and will hold installation ceremonies for the new members at 3 p. m. at St. Matthew's church. The installation will be followed by a tea in the home of Miss Rose Danna, 1511 Jackson.

The Y-Teens (Girl Reserves) of the Y.W.C.A. will have their annual Recognition Ceremonial at the First Presbyterian Church at 3:30 p. m. All parents, friends, and former girl reserves are cordially invited to attend. After the ceremonial there will be "Open House" at the Y.W.C.A., 904 Jackson St.

Monday

The Jolly Y Janes' Club of the Y-Teens will meet at the "Y" at 4:15 p. m.

The Triads Club of Y-Teens will meet at the "Y" at 4:15 p. m.

Meeting of Delta Theta Chi at the Virginia hotel. 6 p. m.

Fine Arts club annual banquet at Frances hotel. 7:30 p. m.

Pythian Sisters, Monroe Temple No. 1 will meet at 7:30 p. m., Castle Hall, 127½ St. John street. Election of officers, all members urged to attend.

Mrs. A. D. Tisdale will lecture to the Delta Rho Delta Sorority on "The World We Live In and the World We Want" Monday, December 9th, at 8 p. m. at the Frances Hotel. This will be an open meeting and the women's clubs of the twin cities are invited to attend.

Mrs. Allan Sholars, Mrs. Earl Naiden, Miss Satchie Sholars, hostesses at luncheon-bridge at the Sholars home for Miss Clarice Slagle.

Tuesday

The Kumjoynus-Blue Triangle Club of the Y-Teens will meet at the "Y" at 4:15 p. m.

Circles of the Women's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church will meet as follows: Circle 1, Mrs. F. W. Dawson, 1621 North Seventh; No. 2, Mrs. Walter Black, 201 Stubbs; No. 3, Mrs. H. Rivers, 200 Grayling; No. 4, Mrs. W. R. Hatchell, 1416 Milton street; No. 5, Mrs. R. W. Cretney, 1707 North Sixth street; No. 6, Mrs. Fred Petty, 414 North Third street; No. 7, Mrs. F. W. Farberson, 319 K street; No. 8, Mrs. H. C. Wilson, 608 South Third street.

First Church Christ Scientist, Monroe, La., will present John S. Sammons, C. S. B. Chicago, Ill., in a free public lecture at the Ouachita Parish School auditorium. 8 p. m. Punblic is invited.

Ladies' Aid of Trinity Lutheran Church will meet at the home of Mrs. E. Reinhardt, 2304 Jasmine. 2 p. m.

Meeting of Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Gordon Avenue Methodist Church with Mrs. Annie Odell, 3004 Gordon avenue. 2 p. m.

The W. M. U. of the Parkview Baptist Church will meet in the following circles: No. 1, Mrs. B. B. McClendon, Jr., 2306 Jasmine, 10 a. m.; No. 2, Mrs. Myrtle Smith, 309 Stubbs, 2:30 p. m.

Circle No. 1 of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of Stone Avenue Methodist Church will meet at 2:30 p. m. with Mrs. A. L. Ingram; No. 2 with Mrs. I. L. Yeager.

Meeting of Women's Society of Christian Service of Memorial Methodist Church with Mrs. George Pierce, 215 Bell avenue. 3 p. m.

The W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church will meet in the following circles: Circle No. 1, Mrs. F. S. Fisher, 111 Pershing place; No. 2, Mrs. B. A. Myers, 2903 Gordon avenue; No. 4, Mrs. N. T. Moore, 114 Georgia street; No. 5, Mrs. Aline Banister, 514 Oak street; No. 6, Mrs. E. Haner, 815 Jackson street; No. 7, Mrs. H. L. Morrow, 4003 Spurgeon drive; No. 8, Mrs. H. Mickel, 809 North Fourth street; No. 9, Mrs. H. L. Tolbert, 1703 North Fourth street; No. 10, Mrs. J. D. Reeves, 702 Alexander avenue.

First night performance of "The Skin of Our Teeth" by the Monroe Little Theatre, Inc., at Neville High School auditorium, 8:15 p. m.

Mrs. G. B. Cooley, Mrs. Julius Kugler, hostesses at coffee hour at Cooley home for Miss Clarice Slagle.

Miss Rosanne Reid, hostess at bridge for Miss Clarice Slagle at Reid home.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church will meet in circles. 3 p. m. No. 1, Mrs. J. G. Williamson, 1011 North Fifth street; No. 2, Mrs. R. E. Hanna, 1211 Park avenue; No. 3, Mrs. R. W. Germany, 1504 Fairview; No. 4, Mrs. J. T. Conger, 1003 College Ave.; No. 5, Mrs. O. L. Holloway, 1003 North 7th street; No. 6, Mrs. A. G. McHenry, 1810 Riverside; No. 7, Mrs. C. W. Wallace with Mrs. Foster Wallace, co-hostess, 1608 Island Drive; No. 8, Mrs. J. T. Ray, 306 Alexander; No. 9, Mrs. C. C. Lucky, 406 Filhiól.

Pythian Sisters, Friendship Temple No. 3 will meet at :30 p. m., Castle Hall, 127½ St. John street. Election of officers, all members urged to be present.

Meeting of the St. Matthew's Parish Sodality in the home of Miss Josephine Carso, 411 Louisville Ave., at 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday

The Y'D Awake Club of Y-Teens will meet at the "Y" at 4:00 p. m.

The YoWoCa Business Girls' Club of the Y.W.C.A. will meet at the "Y" at 6:30 p. m. Mrs. J. R. White will be the guest speaker for the club.

Mrs. George Snellings, Jr., and Mrs. John Theus, hostesses at luncheon at La Casa tea room for Miss Clarice Slagle.

Members of Study Club will entertain in the home of Mrs. Lewis Slater for Miss Clarice Slagle.

Last night presentation of "The Skin of Our Teeth" by the Monroe Little Theatre, Inc., at the Neville High School auditorium, 8:15 p. m.

Meeting of Current Literature Club with Mrs. Gene Demmary, 1607 North Seventh. 2 p. m.

Meeting of Music Guild with Mrs. H. D. Holmes. 211 Mouton, 2:30 p. m.

The Twentieth Century Book Club meets with Mrs. Henry Whitfield, 2:30 p. m.

Thursday

The A. A. U. W. will meet in the home of Mrs. Robert Ellington, 1701 North Third street at 7:45 p. m.

Fort Miro Chapter of D. A. R. will entertain at a tea in honor of Mrs. Percy Fair, state regent, in the home of Mrs. Gladys Sperry at 2:30 p. m. Abraham Morehouse Chapter of Bastrop will be co-hostesses. Each member may bring a guest.

Miss Pauline Breard, hostess at bridge for Miss Clarice Slagle.

Mrs. Albert Horuff, hostess at luncheon at La Casa tea room for Miss Clarice Slagle.

Mrs. Fred Hudson, Mrs. John Fox and Mrs. George Trousdale will entertain at a tea for Miss Clarice Slagle at the Fox home.

Friday

Mrs. Fensky Terzia, Mrs. John Bennett Fudickar, hostesses at coffee hour for Miss Clarice Slagle.

Mrs. Arthur Tidwell, Mrs. Vernon La Cour and Miss Juanita Porter hostesses at dinner for Miss Clarice Slagle.

Saturday

The Y-Teen Inter-Club Council will meet at the "Y" at 10:00 a.m.

Mrs. Sallie Meredith, Mrs. John Wooten and Mrs. George Goodwin, hostesses at luncheon in the Goodwin home in Bastrop, for Miss Clarice Slagle.

Mrs. J. A. Davenport and Mrs. J. A. Davenport, Jr., hostesses at tea, Bastrop, La., for Miss Clarice Slagle.

December 15

A candle light service will be held by the woman's auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church led by Mrs. H. V. Collins, Sunday Dec. 15 at 5 p. m.

Friday, December 20

Federated Clubwomens Tea honoring Mrs. Tisdale in home of Mrs. T. H. Scott, 1912 North Third, 3:30 to 5:30 p. m.

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Miss Gaston, a charming member of Monroe's younger set, is a graduate of the Neville high school and attended Sophia Newcomb college, New Orleans. She is a member of Delta Beta sorority.

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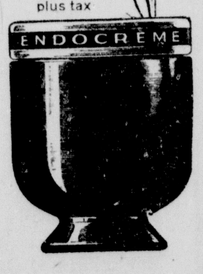


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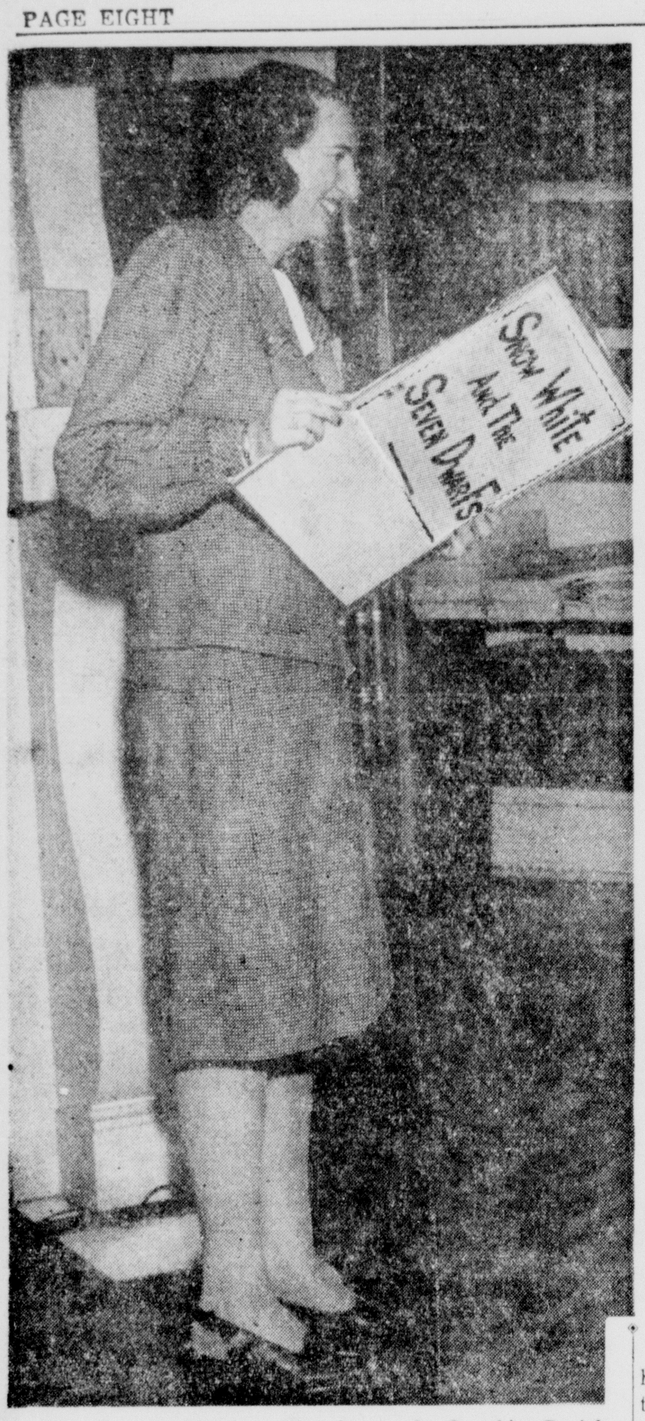
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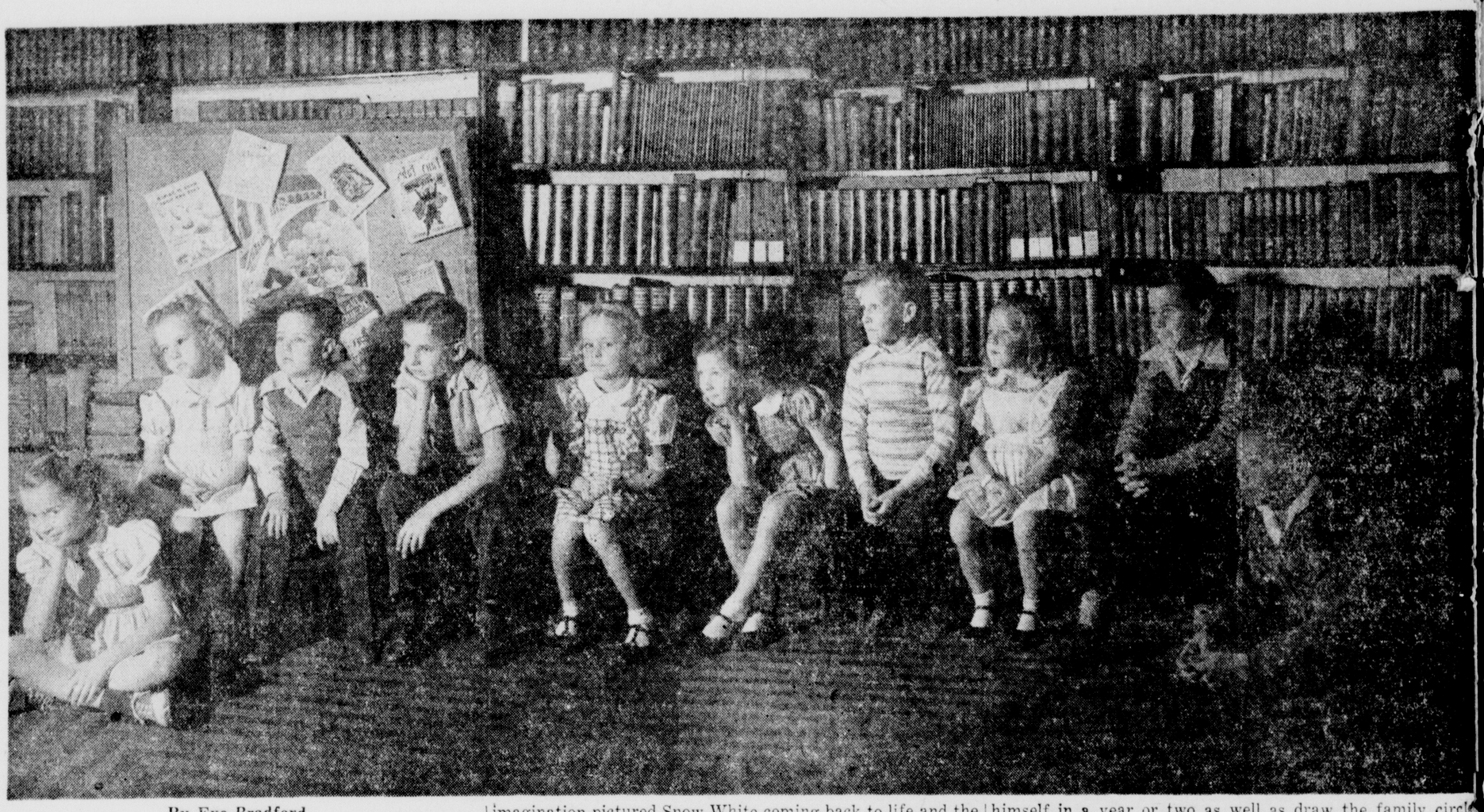
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Miss Frances Flanders, librarian at the Ouachita Parish Public Library, tells a group of interested children the story of "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs." The characters will come to life on the stage of the Neville auditorium next Thursday afternoon when the Clare Tree Major Children's Theatre will present this beloved fantasy. In addition to the traditional pretty princess and her prince charming, the cast will include real dwarfs who will delight the children with their antics.

'Snow White' Casts A Spell

Watch Out! The Wicked Queen Is Going To Hand Snow White The Poisoned Apple. Suspense Holds Sway. It's The Magic Story Telling Hour.



By Eve Bradford

"Don't you eat it, it's poisoned," one small girl was heard to exclaim when Miss Frances Flanders, librarian at the Ouachita Public library read the story of "Snow White And The Seven Dwarfs" to a group of youngsters who held their breath when she read the section of the story telling of the poisoned apple proferred to Snow White by the wicked queen.

The story of "Snow White And The Seven Dwarfs" will be presented by the Clare Tree Major Children's Theatre at Neville auditorium on Thursday afternoon, December 12 under the auspices of the Parker Memorial Sunday School class. The group of youngsters in the picture above will be quite familiar with this fascinating fairy tale and prepared to enjoy the show to the fullest after listening to the three episodes related in dramatic manner by Miss Flanders who is a gifted story teller.

Several of the children listening to the story of "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs," and not old enough to know that in fairy tales everyone who does right inevitably lives happily ever after. They were oppressed by suspense until Miss Flanders assured them that Snow White was spared a terrible fate by the death of the wicked queen. Those with imagination pictured Snow White coming back to life and the handsome Prince carrying her off to his castle.

Known to children all over the world, this story of the little princess who seeks refuge from the cruelty of her unnatural step-mother in the house of the seven friendly dwarfs was taken from the famous fairy tales of the Grimm Brothers, and dramatized with all of its beauty and charm by Clare Tree Major.

"Snow White" is one of the six stories selected by a board of examiners at Columbia University some years ago as fairy tales that should be on every child's reading list.

Christmas time is approaching again and children are visualizing treasures they hope to get from a fellow named Santa Claus. If all goes according to schedule, and if papa has the price, Santa Claus will deliver the goods on Christmas morning. Here's hoping there will be the price of at least one good book for every child. However, the days when children could be satisfied with a book have vanished along with molasses taffy and long underwear. For youthful readers today the range of subject is as broad as the intricate civilization of which they are an alert part. Providing books that will help to develop the many interests and needs of a boy or girl is largely the job of parents, teachers and adults.

The practice of mothers or dads reading aloud each night will introduce the youngster to stories he will read for himself in a year or two as well as draw the family circle a little closer.

Nothing in the life of a child is more important than association with books. They should be introduced to them at an early age—the earlier the better. Youngsters who look to books as a source of pleasure usually get more out of school and out of life than those who find their chief mental stimulant in "comic books." The importance of building the reading habit is particularly important today, when the majority of children spend four years in high school and a large percentage go to college. All school education depends, to a major extent, on a student's ability to read rapidly and to understand what he reads; the higher he climbs on the academic ladder the more important reading becomes.

Every child ought to own a few books at least. Books from the Ouachita Parish Public Library are now playing an important part in the lives of many youngsters in the Twin Cities but the child develops a real fondness for the books that belong to him, the books that are always on the shelves ready for reading.

The children, enraptured with the story of "Snow White" in the above picture are, reading from left to right: Sally Hinkle, Louise Ormond Gray, Vernon LaCour, Jr., John Totten, Carey Sue Turner, Sue Stubbs, Travis Oliver III, Landrea Ducote, Neal Reynolds and Ray Rhymes.

COFFEE HOUR BRINGS GROUP OF KIWANIANS AND THEIR WIVES TOGETHER IN FRIENDLY MANNER

On the side of things charming was the coffee hour on the Virginia Hotel roof, bringing members of the Kiwanis club and their wives together in friendly manner.

Flowers of pronounced beauty created an atmosphere of festivity in this lovely spot where so many brilliant events have taken place in the past.

Mrs. A. R. Doughty was responsible for the artistic arrangement of flowers banking the coffee table. A variety of delicious confections were served during the afternoon to the following:

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Updegraff, Mr. and Mrs. Don Weil, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond John, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Parrish, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Esdorn, Jr., Mr. Walter Gwinn, Mr. J. W. Womack, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Davis, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Underwood Fourmy, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Parnell, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Drew, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Leigh, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Huffman, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Grant, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Todd, Mr. and Mrs. Sam McReynolds, Mrs. Addie Baybos, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Plaisance, Rev. and Mrs. George Pearde, Jr., Mrs. John Pracher, Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Peters, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Husted, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hammonds, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Breard, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Kugler, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Perkins, Mrs. A. R. Doughty, Miss Betty Scott, W. L. Perkins, Jr. and Tommy Ccott.

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Friends of Mark Wilenzick will be glad to know that he has returned from New Orleans where he underwent a major operation at Hotel Dieu.

Miss Reeves Is The Bride Of W. B. Morgan, Jr.

Miss Roberta Reeves, daughter of R. V. Reeves, and W. B. Morgan, Jr., of Eudora, Ark., were married in the Oak Grove Methodist Church Thanksgiving evening in a double-ring ceremony, with the Rev. J. E. Hearn, former pastor, officiating.

Tall white candles were placed against a background of ferns and evergreens, and baskets of white gladioli. As Miss Alene Holland and Mrs. John Hester lighted the candles, Mrs. Ellis Womack, presiding at the organ, rendered a program of nuptial music, and Miss Maxine Douglas, of Vicksburg, sang "Because" and 'O, Promise Me." Lohengrin's Wedding March marked the processional, and after the ceremony, during which Mrs. Womack softly played "The Lord's Prayer," Mendelssohn's Wedding March was played as the recessional.

Walking with her father, who gave her in marriage, the bride wore a model of ice blue crepe with black accessories, and carried an arm bouquet of pale pink split carnations. For something old, she carried a handkerchief that belonged to her grandmother, and was carried by her mother on her wedding day. She also wore her great-grandmother's cameo brooch. Her only attendant, Miss Evelyn Morgan, sister of the groom, wore a fuchsia crepe frock with black accessories. R. S. Simpson, of Yazoo City, Miss., served the groom as best man; groomsmen were Jack Connerly, of Little Rock, and the bride's brother-in-law, Louie Wright, of Minden.

Just after the ceremony, a reception was held in the home of the bride's father. The three-tiered wedding cake was cut by Mrs. S. W. Williams, of Monroe, aunt of the bride, while Miss Frances Briggs presided over the punch bowl. Mrs. E. G. Couch was in charge of the bride's book.

The bride, a graduate of Northwestern State College at Natchitoches, is a member of the Oak Grove school faculty. The groom is a veteran of World War II, in which he served twenty-two months overseas with the fifth armored division.

After a brief wedding trip, the couple will make their home in Eudora, where Mr. Morgan is engaged in business.

Lake Providence

Mrs. S. A. Holt has returned to "Buckmeadow" after a stay of two months in Tampa, Fla., for the arrival of her granddaughter, Jane, in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Neblett.

Miss Anna Tatman, public health nurse for East Carroll parish, attended the service training conference in Monroe on Wednesday.

G. D. Davis, training officer for the Veterans Administration, Shreveport, was in East Carroll parish during the week making a survey of the on-the-job training.

Miss Bobbie Landrum has enrolled for a course in nursing at the Southern Baptist Hospital, New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Burton in Vicksburg to consult an oculist, visited Lake Providence patients at the hospitals there.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Rodger Gregory, Ft. Knox, Ky., were in Lake Providence the past week for visits with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Marak, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gregory, Garden Home community.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Schneider and the former's mother, Mrs. F. H. Schneider, were in Monroe the past Friday.

Mr. Daniel Tracy Higdon, Delhi, and Miss Ruby Jean White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. White, Lake Providence, were united in marriage at the Baptist Pastorium Tuesday, November 12, with the pastor, Rev. Paul Elledge, officiating.

The bride was lovely in a grey dressmaker's suit with black accessories. Mr. and Mrs. Higdon are students at Northeast Junior College, Monroe, and will make their home in Delhi.

Witnesses to the ceremony were Misses Hazel Dacus and Dorothy Mashburn, of Transylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. Talmadge Pearson, Transylvania, La., are parents of a son, Randall Lyn. Mrs. Pearson was formerly Miss Marcell Newcomb.

Mrs. Alonzo Moore, Bastrop, spent the week-end in Lake Providence with Mrs. A. M. Nelson and family and Hilda Nancy Moore was guest of her aunt Mrs. J. H. Guenard for Sunday School and church.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Brunson, Oak Grove, attended morning service at Grace Episcopal church, with Mr. Brunson a member of the choir.

Miss Flora Montgomery, Tallulah, spent the past week end at Transylvania with her aunt, Mrs. W. B. R. Mitchell and family.

Mrs. Tom Shields, Alsatia, was in Lake Providence Sunday morning to attend service at Grace Episcopal church.

Mrs. F. P. Regenold, bride club hostess of the past week, entertained Mrs. S. E. Hart, Mrs. N. K. Delony, Mrs. J. N. Turner, Mrs. W. H. Maben, Mrs. W. D. Brown, Mrs. J. C. Gross, Mrs. Ford Land and Mrs. F. X. Ransdell.

Prizes were awarded Mrs. W. D. Brown, for highest score and Mrs. Gross, for low score.

A delectable salad course was served by candle light at the conclusion of the games.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Donovan are parents of a son, James Edgar. Mrs. Donovan was formerly Miss Ersyica Evans. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Donovan, of Tallulah, and Mrs. Harper, of Kilbourne, is the maternal grandmother.

Mrs. Catherine H. Richards, having sold her business in Little Rock, Ark., will arrive this week end to be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Hill until after the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Bessie Lessler, Lousville, at the bedside of her brother, Golden Leigh Levy, since his accident, accompanied him from the Vicksburg Hospital and is with him at the family home in Lake Providence and plans to remain until his health is fully restored.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Hortaire Guenard, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Nordyke Sidney C. Guenard, and Frank Vetker, Jr., in Baton Rouge for the L. S. U.-Fordham game were joined by the bride and groom, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Imbrie Guenard, returning from Galveston, and next day all went to New Orleans for the Tulane-Notre Dame game.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hinchey has returned to her home in Webster Grove, Mo., after a visit of five weeks with her sister, Mrs. J. N. Turner.



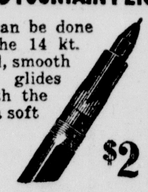
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CHRISTMAS CAROLS WILL BE HIGHLIGHT OF PROGRAM AT THE NEVILLE AUDITORIUM

The corridors of the Neville high school will resound with the flute-like voices of young boys and girls singing Christmas carols on the night of December 19, when the annual Christmas program will be presented. These vibrant young voices will be lifted in the following well known carols:

The Holly and The Ivy—Old English carol; Sing We Noel—French carol of the 15th century, Neville Junior High Students. Silent Night—Gruber, Sherrouse School. The First Noel—traditional, Lida Benton School. Hark The Herald Angels Sing—Handel, Barkdull Faulk School. O Little Town of Bethlehem—Redner, Central Grammar School. It Came Upon a Midnight Clear—Willis, Georgia Tucker School. I Hear The Bells on Christmas Day—Calkin, Neville High School.

At eight o'clock the program will be presented in the auditorium with the Neville band rendering the overture, L'Arlessienne Suite."

"The Christmas Story" will be told by Charles Mack Flynn and Robert Nelson. Other numbers on the evening program are:

Scene in the Cathedral:
(1) Nazareth—Gounod.
(2) Sanctus—Gounod.
(3) Gloria—Mozart.
Scene, The Star of Bethlehem.
(1) O Star Divine—Wagner.
Juanita Dickerson and Walter Magham.
Angels:

Beatrice Bruscato, Clara Munholland, Mary Lillian McLaughlin, Arden Girault, Jeannene Oakley, Ester Ewing, Sara Ellen Bruno, Marguerite Lamkin, Joy James, Billie Harper, Jean Phelps, Agnes Jones, Beverly Martin, Betty Jo Roach, Patricia Johnson, Dorothy Cord, Jo Ann Roberts, Maurine Linquist, Pat Grant, Barbara Kirk, Kathryn Norwood, Barbara Wildey, Dolores Irving, Joan Sugar, Lydia Jarman, Betty Cruthiards, Francis Johnson, Betty Jo Schlenker.

Scene—The Magi.
Gaspard—Andrew Lyons.
Melchoir—Bill Bottorff.
Balthazar—Gradon McQuiston.
Scene—Country Side Near Bethlehem.
(1) While Shepherds Watched—Old Hampshire Hymn, Girls Glee Club of Neville High School.
(2) The Angels and The Shepherd—Old French Noel.
A.—The Angel, Jeff Dollar.
B.—The Shepherd, Walter Magham.
The Scene of The Nativity.
(1) O Little Town of Bethlehem—Redner, Jane Blanchard.
(2) Away in a Manger—Luther, Ralph King.
(3) Sleep O Holy Child—French Noel.
Joy Anthony, Kathryn Daniels, Barbara Dollar and Mary Lillian McHenry.
(4) Silent Night—Gruber, Juanita Dickerson.
(5) Cantique De Noel — Adams. Walter Magham.
Shepherds—
Roy Scaila, Stony Smallwood, Rudolph Bedgood, Jeff Hennessey.
Intermission.
O Come Ye Faithful—
Complete ensemble of all students of the city system and their march to present their gifts to the Christ Child.
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Churches

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the Sermon subject being, "Methodist Beliefs About the Bible." The prelude will be "Andante," by Schubert, and the choir will sing the anthem, "Thy Light Is Come," by Marsh.

For the 7:30 p.m. service the pastor will continue a series of sermons centered about Christ and leading up to the Christmas season. The Junior Choir will sing.

Sunday School at 9:45 a.m.

Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6:15 p.m., meeting at the parsonage, 215 Bell, with the subject, "Methodism, a World Movement."

The Junior Choir will meet at 6:45 p.m. at 4214 DeSiard.

MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
W. H. Pritchett, Pastor-At-Large
Fred Hoffman, Sunday School Supt.

Sunday School at 9:30 a.m.

Morning worship at 11:00 a.m., Elder J. H. Nelson, of Minden, will preach.

Young People's meeting at 6 p.m.

Prayer meeting at 7 p.m. Wednesday.

All meetings will be held at present in the West Monroe Library.

PENIEL BAPTIST CHURCH
Jonesboro Road, (West Monroe)
Rev. J. H. Keys, Pastor
Mrs. Elizabeth Price, S. S. Supt.
Mrs. Aline Davis, B. T. U. Director

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.
Training Union and Brotherhood 6:00 p. m.
Evening Worship, 7:00 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.

An inspirational program was given by the Sunbeams Wednesday night at the prayer service, with the leader, Mrs. P. A. Wink in charge. The church is proud of the Sunbeams and the work they are doing for the Master. The W. M. S. spent the day Friday at the church in observance of their week of prayer for foreign missions.

If you are not attending the regular services of another church, you are invited to come and worship with us at all times. Visitors always welcome.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
St. John and Grammont Streets
L. T. Hastings, Pastor
B. B. Fields, Director Ed. and Music
Miss Billie Farque, Dir. Social Act.

Sunday School 9:45. Morning worship 10:55. Pastor's message: "The Word of Power in an Age of Power."

Mr. R. G. LeTourneau, Neville High School auditorium, 3 p. m. Training Union and Brotherhood at 6:15. Evening worship and evangelistic service 7:30.

Sunday is Universal Bible Sunday. We will make our usual free-will offering to the American Bible Society for the printing and distributing of Bibles and Testaments. The demand is great. Let our offering be correspondingly great.

CENTRAL ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Corner Hall and Calypso
L. O. Waldon, Pastor

Evangelist R. R. Nichols will speak on the subject: "Four Reasons Why God Chose Palestine For the Jews." The geographical location, the fertility of the soil, the land's limitation and isolation will be high points in the message.

The subject for the evening message will be "The Voice of the Blood." The Scriptural reading will be found in Hebrews 12:24.

Sunday School 9:45 a. m., H. W. Holdiness, superintendent. Morning worship hour 11:00 o'clock. Christ's Ambassadors meet at 7:00 p. m., O. F. Millien, president. Evening evangelistic service 7:30.

PARKVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH
(Temporarily Meeting in Georgia Tucker School, 405 Stubbs Avenue)
Rev. Colon P. Coaker, Pastor

Religious services are offered for all who will worship with us today. Our services begin with Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., Morning Worship at 10:50. B. T. U. services at 6:30 p. m. and evening worship at 7:30. Mid-week prayer service every Wednesday evening at 7:30.

The subject of the morning sermon will be: "An Unsaved Believer." At the evening service: "The Unprofitable Servants." On Wednesday evening the parable of "The Hidden Treasure" will be studied. A cordial welcome awaits you.

GRACE EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Fourth and Glenmar Streets
Monroe

Services in Grace Episcopal church for Sunday, December 8th, the second Sunday in Advent will be as follows:
7:30 a. m., The Holy Eucharist.
9:30 a. m., The Church School.
11:00 a. m., Morning Prayer and Sermon.
5:00 p. m., Young people's service in the Parish House.

Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock the regular mid-week celebration of the Holy Eucharist.

Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. The Woman's Auxiliary will meet in the church for a business meeting; then at 3 o'clock Mrs. George Gunby will review the book "God Is Not Dead" by the Rev. Iddings Bell. All of the women of the church are invited to be present to hear this review.

FAITH BAPTIST CHURCH
Jackson and Orange
James C. Houston, Pastor

"If My People" will be the theme of the Sunday morning sermon. Great things can be done for God, 'If My People'. * * * If you have no church home we invite you to come to worship with us.

Our Sunday school is growing and we expect the largest attendance we have ever had on Sunday. Come;
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Preaching Service, 11:00 a. m.
B. T. U. and Brotherhood, 6:30 p. m.
Preaching Service, 7:30 p. m.
W. M. U. will meet at the church Monday 7:00 p. m.
Mid-week prayer service, 7:00 p. m.
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STONE AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH
Stone Avenue and South Third
I. L. Yeager, Pastor

"If you are looking for a church home, come! we can help you; if you are looking for church work, come you can help us."

We invite you to attend the services of the week-end, beginning with Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning worship at 10:50. Christian Endeavor and Methodist Youth Fellowship at 7 p. m. Evening service at 7:30. The evening services are informal and you will enjoy joining with the congregation in singing the songs that we all love. Prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30. Mrs. Vernon Hobgood is the appointed leader. Choir rehearsal Thursday evening at 7:30.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service to meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:30. Circle 1 with Mrs. A. L. Ingram, 2 with Mrs. I. L. Yeager.

THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Jackson and Wood Streets
Rev. A. M. Serex, Ph. D., Pastor
Rev. Lea Joyner Assistant to the Pastor

The First Methodist Church cordially invites you to attend its Sunday services schedules below:
8:30 a. m. Holy Communion.
9:30 a. m. Sunday School for all departments.
*10:45 a. m. Morning Worship Service.
5:00 p. m. Junior Fellowship.
5:30 p. m. Youth Recreational Hour.
6:30 p. m. Youth Fellowship Worship.
7:30 p. m. Evening Service, "The Friendly Hour."

The pastor's sermon for the morning worship service is entitled, "The Need For Security."

At the evening hour he will speak on "How To Keep Young."

The calendar of events for the First Methodist Church during the week:
Monday, 7:30 p. m.—Board of Stewards monthly meeting.
Tuesday, 10:00 a. m.—District Mission rally.
Tuesday, 3:00 p. m.—W. S. C. S. Circle meetings.

(A nursery for small children is maintained in the church annex during the morning worship service.

Again, we invite and encourage each and every one to attend any service at the First Methodist Church in which he may feel interested.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Cypress and Crosley, West Monroe
E. L. Tanner, Pastor

Rev. James E. Allen of Jonesboro, La., will be our guest speaker for both services 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Brother and Sister Allen will also have charge of the High C. A. service at 6:30 p. m. Sunday School will meet at 9:45 a. m. L. M. Tidwell superintendent. Let us urge you to be here for the Sunday School and remain for the preaching service.

GOOD HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH
West Monroe
E. W. Evans, Pastor
B. F. Sawyer, S. S. Supt.
Mrs. E. W. Evans, B. T. U. Director

Sunday School at 9:45 a.m.
Morning worship at 11:00 a.m.
B. T. U. and Brotherhood at 6:30 p.m.
Evening worship at 7:30 p.m.
Mid-week prayer services Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.
W. M. U. Tuesday at 2 p.m.
Junior G. A.'s and R.'s Saturday at 2 p.m.

We expect many Training Union members to attend the Associational Training Union meeting at the First Church in West Monroe, Friday night.

GORDON AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. W. H. Carroll, Pastor

Church School, 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.
Youth Fellowship, 6:00 p. m.
Evening Worship, 7:00 p. m.

Monday December 9 the board of stewards will meet at the church at 7:15 p. m.

Tuesday, December 10, the Woman's Society of Christian service will meet with Mrs. Annie Odell, 3004 Gordon avenue at 2 p. m.

Wednesday, December 11, prayer meeting and choir rehearsal at the church at 7 p. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

"God The Only Cause and Creator" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, December 8, 1946.

The Golden Text is: "Lord, thou art God, which hast made heaven, and earth, and the sea, and all that in them is" (Acts 4:24).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Known unto God are all his works from the beginning of the world" (Acts 15:18).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "There is but one primal cause" (p. 207).

Sunday School at 9:30 a.m.
Sunday service at 11:00 a.m.
Wednesday service at 8:00 p.m.
Reading room at 814 Bernhardt building, open daily from 10:00 to 5:00 p.m., except Sundays and national holidays.

Luncheon At Lotus Club Honors Miss Clarice Slagle

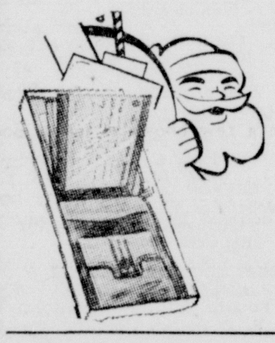
An oblong table in the private dining room of the Lotus Club, overlaid with imported lace and serviced in antique silver, marked covers for two gracious hostesses, Mrs. Francis Barringer and Mrs. S. E. Huey and guests when they entertained complimentary to Miss Charice Slagle.

An immense antique silver epergne centering the table, overflowed with spring flowers in all the lovely pastel shades with pink sweet peas predominating. The cards, suggestive of brides, were developed in the pastel colors.

Mrs. Barringer seated at one of the tables, wore a smart light gray suit with crimson accessories and Mrs. Huey at the other end of the table wore a light brown tailleur with turquoise blouse. Miss Seagle was wearing a tobacco brown model with fuchsia accessories and a corsage of tube roses presented to her by her hostesses.

A delicious three course luncheon was served to the hostesses and Miss Slagle and Mrs. H. R. Speed, Mrs. Frederick Hudson, Mrs. Melville Vaughan, Mrs. James R. Wooten, Miss Lee Seagle, Mrs. Elmer Seagle and Mrs. G. P. Stubbs.

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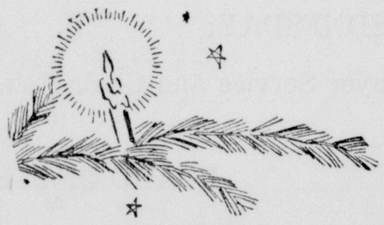
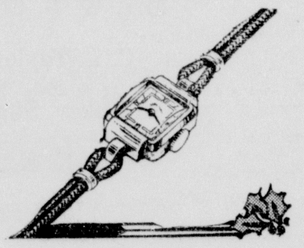
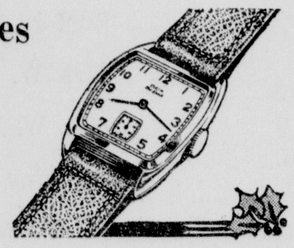
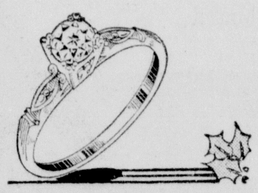

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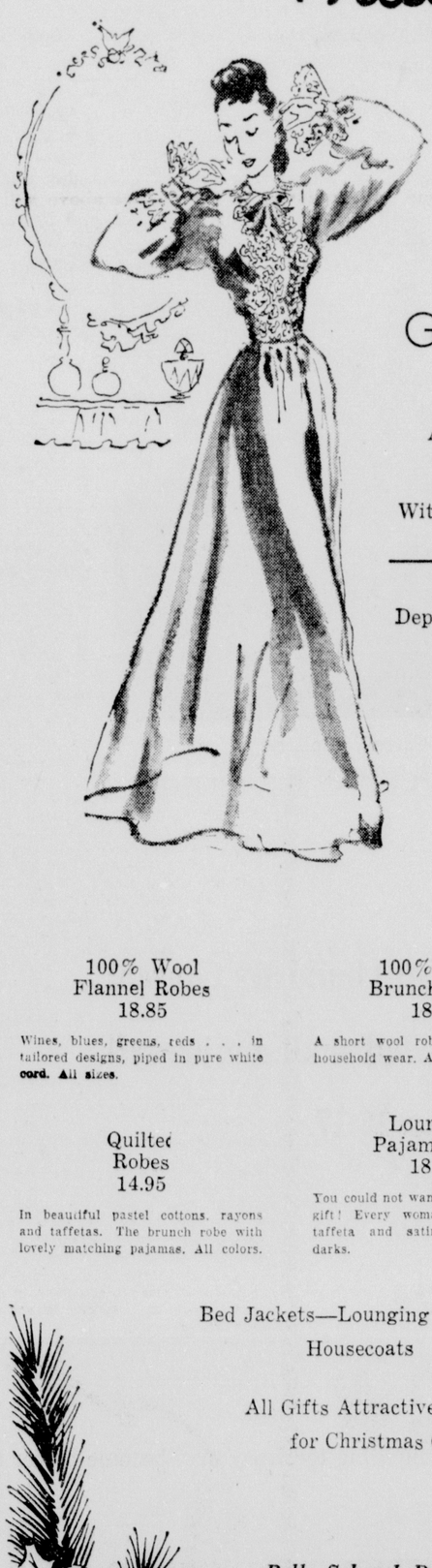

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HIGHLIGHTS OF MEETING OF INTERNATIONAL ASSEMBLY OF WOMEN GIVEN BY CLUB WOMAN

Highlights of the meeting of the International Assembly of Women in the Waldorf Astoria, New York City, were brought to members of the Reader's Clique by Mrs. A. D. Tisdale, prominent club woman of this city, who was in attendance at this meeting.

Members of the Reader's Clique meeting in the home of Mrs. Stanley Archibald were addressed by Mrs. Tisdale as follows:

"As I sat and listened to the women of various countries dressed in their native costumes, representing the finest and best in their country, there was a feeling that each woman there wanted the same thing—a chance for our children in a peaceful world. Better education, homes, the right kind of moral and spiritual influence. As for political problems here were some of the conclusions: The world has undergone uneven historical development—political, social and economic. Because problems in other countries are different from ours, they are not necessarily wrong. We must see things through the eyes of other people. It would be most helpful to have the historians illuminate different situations from many points of view and a great help to the individual would be to read: "Nehru's View of World History." It is interesting to note how different people see results of war, for example, French and English see Napoleon defeated at Waterloo. Russians see him defeated at Moscow. We must see all facets of a situation and weigh the other peoples' point of view, perhaps not accept them, but study them as others may have a valid point of view.

"The first speaker was Mrs. Restrepo del Corral of Colombia, who is now Dean of the first Colombian University for Women. According to Mrs. Corral, women in Colombia do not vote, but they exert a great influence and they have had equal rights with men from the beginning. It is compulsory to study English in Colombia.

"Miss Ivan Rattray was the speaker for New Zealand. She stated that the women of her country do not have a very great part in their government, but that she will go back and tell them what the women of other countries are doing so that they might establish themselves.

"Mrs. Ann De Kanter represented the Netherlands. She is a member of the Labor Party and a student of International Law. Her plea is for peace based on justice. Mrs. De Kanter said that there is a great need for laws and that law and order is the first necessity for peace and even though we do not all agree with the law, we must obey.

"The subject for the next session was, "What Kind of Economic World Are We Living In?" The first speaker was Mrs. Elizabeth Sichrova of Czechoslovakia, a member of UNRRA. She stated that the Economic World overlaps the political in her country and that now is a most difficult period for them for when the Germans moved out, there was nothing left.

Japan was represented by Haru Matsui, who is an author. Quote: "A new life is dawning in Japan and even though we must suffer, we feel that the operation was needed to cure the disease. Women of Japan are eager to pick anything new and they want advancement of homes of children.

Before the panel opened for the afternoon, Mrs. Alice T. McLean, South Kortright, New York, made a few remarks. She reported on a ten-day meeting at South Kortright where they learned that there is a great need for a common language and that politics must be dealt with on local levels. Mrs. McLean stated we must be global in our thinking and planning and making contacts.

"The first subject for the afternoon was "What Kind of a Social Order Should We Strive to Achieve?"

Mrs. Clara Urquhart of South Africa spoke on the many displaced persons there and she told of children who do not remember their parents and they are in great need of help. Mrs. Wadia of India also pleaded for the children of her country. They need physical and mental security. The speaker for Luxembourg spoke on Leadership. She said that wisdom, compassion and courage are needed and now that the scales have been removed from the eyes of the women of Luxemborg, they can make good leaders.

"The final session was devoted to the topic, "What is the Spiritual and Moral Situation of the World We Live In?" Miss Elsie Solomons of Ceylon was the chairman. The first speaker was Miss Pohajala of Finland, who said that her greatest fear is a house on sand and that life is so simple, but the basic values are unseen.

"Miss Louise Weiss of France closed the Panel with a story of the Monument of Humanity built in a little French village to the thousands who died in this war. She asked: "Let us women of this International assembly not fail those who died and let us not be wishful thinkers, but let us be strong crusaders."

"Thus ended a day such as we have never known in this country and in the history of nations."

Mrs. Jack Masur, president, presided during the business session at which time reports were given by standing committees Mrs. Archibald, chairman of "Boxes to Holland" reported that four boxes weighing eleven pounds each and containing clothing and blankets were mailed to Rohermond on December 1.

Mrs. Ivy Jordan, chairman of the Toy Project, announced that the toys which have been reconditioned by members of club will be distributed among children of the Louisiana Baptist Children's Home and the Charity Hospital on December 20th.

Among other club activities, members have volunteered to wrap gifts for the Crippled Children's party which will be held at the Booster Hall on December 21st.

During the social hour members gathered around Mrs. Tisdale to express their delight for her excellent talk. Delicious refreshments were served to:

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Farmerville

Mrs. J. D. Baughman and daughter, Miss Faye, spent Thursday and Friday in Rayville with Mesdames, E. E. Keebler, E. A. Jones and H. P. Corry.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jones of El Reno, Oklahoma spent Monday and Tuesday in Farmerville with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Dykes.

Mrs. Gordon Murphy of Monroe spent last week here with her mother, Mrs. Georgie Fenton and Mr. and Mrs. James Fenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Johnston and little son, Ronnie, spent last week at Rayville with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Gallman.

Jack Farrar, Jr., spent last week at Baton Rouge with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Farrar.

A large number from Farmerville attended the Tulane-L. S. U. ball game Saturday.

Mrs. J. W. Pickel returned Saturday from a visit with her son, Mr. J. W. Pickel, Jr., and Mrs. Pickel at Paragould, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. George Takewell of Monroe visited Mrs. Monroe Taylor and daughter, Miss Cleo and Miss Myrtle Bass, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Gillum and little daughter, Mary Ellen Voitier of Houston, Texas, spent the the Thanksgiving holidays in Farmerville with Mrs. Gillum's mother, Mrs. C. A. Ramsey.

Mrs. J. R. Dawkins and guest, her sister, Mrs. J. W. Hull of Russellville, Ark., spent Friday at Ruston with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. White.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Davis of Monroe were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Gordon Sunday.

Mrs. Lester Hartman, who is spending several days in Monroe with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hartman, spent the week end at her home here.

Mrs. Fred T. Preaus and little son, Eugene, and Mrs. M. J. Pearson spent Monday at Ruston with Mrs. Watson Durden.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilder have returned to Washington, D. C. after a visit in Farmerville with Mrs. Wilder's mother, Mrs. E. L. Ramsey and at Monroe with her sister, Mrs. Mike Smith and Mr. Smith.

Mrs. James Ramsey and children of Haughton spent the past several days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. James and other relatives. Mr. Ramsey joined them here for Thanksgiving.

Misses Jean Dawkins and Genelle Kennedy, students at Louisiana College, Pineville, spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Farmerville with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Dawkins and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Kennedy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Saint and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Nobles and children of Hilly spent Sunday in Farmerville with Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Baxter.

Mrs. Earl Taylor and Mrs. Elton Albritton visited Mrs. Henry Dean and little daughter, Margaret Jane at Wright-Bendel Clinic in Monroe Wednesday. They also visited Mrs. Rhodus Morrison and little daughter, Anna Claire in the home of Mrs. Henry Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Barr and Miss Olivia Barr spent Sunday at Shreveport. Miss Gussie Fenton accompanied them and spent the day with her brother, Mr. J. Davis Fenton and Mrs. Fenton at Bossier.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Davis Fenton and son, Jerry of Bossier spent Thanksgiving here with their sister, Miss Gussie Fenton and the Hartmans.

Mr. and Mrs. Jube Compton and children, joined by their daughter, Miss Thelma Jean Compton and Mrs. Compton's mother, Mrs. R. C. Gill of Dallas, Texas, spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Shreveport in the home of Mrs. Compton's sister, Mrs. J. S. Freeman and Mr. Freeman.

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No he doesn't work for the Monroe Chamber of Commerce, but that august body might well put W. C. Spight on their payroll. He was in Monroe two weeks ago and announced that he is coming back here to end his days. He and Mrs. Spight have been making their home in Virginia ever since he resigned as member of the Neville high school faculty, but life in Virginia isn't to his liking. He loves Monroe, where flowers bloom every day in the year and the peaceful Ouachita river shimmers in the sunshine. He likes to be greeted by friends on every hand when he walks down the street. He likes the atmosphere of the old south that still hovers over the city despite the march of progress . . . he likes the mode of living, the way business is conducted and especially the natural gas that's such a joy to householders. He's coming back to Monroe the first of the year, never more to roam.

A fairy godmother evidently waved a magic wand over Miss Nell Carter, popular member of Monroe's younger set. She made her formal debut in Dallas at a magnificent ball and ever since has been dined and wined, courted and favored. The social editor of the Dallas Morning News, telling of the event said: "That magnificent butterfly which is the Idlewild Ball emerged from its five-year wartime cocoon at the Baker hotel. Transformed into a formal garden, the Crystal Ballroom was the scene for the presentation of twelve young misses to Dallas society." Prominent among the list of names was that of Miss Nell Carter, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Monroe Carter of Monroe. The traditional president's dinner for the debutantes highlighted the evening's program.

The social editor continuing her story said:

Mirrored reflections of the twelve debutants presented by the Idlewild gave to Dallas society out-of-a-dream-world images. As each one stepped in front of the arched mirror, its inlay of mosaic-cut framed in Della Robbia roping of laurel, her slightly cascaded bouquet of watermelon shaded camellias caught the tones of the red dahlia fan aflame with arched crests of plumes above her head. Accessorized with gold mesh and ties, the bouquets were a direct reflection of the warmth and sparkle that is the elegant decor of the season.

Molded bodices from the Renaissance, bared shoulders from the Eighteenth Century and feathers and jeweled ornamentation unfolded a charming pageant for Dallas' beautiful women and les hommes elegantes. The talented fingers of the American and French couture contributed to the picture-book look now to be told in alphabetical order. And let's preface it with a merci beaucoup to the French for the return of long white kid gloves.

White imported tulle over taffeta fashioned the gown of Miss Nell Carter. Petite scrolls of white satin frame the oval, off-shoulder neckline and cover the brief cap sleeves. The scroll applique is repeated to outline the back peplum that falls from the corselette waist and forms panniers at the side of the voluminous skirt. Her slippers were of white satin and she wore a single strand of pearls and pearl earclips. Her floor-length cape of red wool was lavishly trimmed with gold-sequinned sprays.

Another social item at a later date told of Miss Carter "sipping tea with other debutantes in the Mural room of the Dallas Women's Club." Miss Carter, who is spending the season with her aunt, Mrs. Mart Reeves, 8530 Jourdan, was the guest of honor.

Two interesting visitors in the city last week, Mr. and Mrs. William R. Van Liers, of California, were given a taste of the special brand of hospitality McVea Oliver reserves for favored guests. He gathered a few intimates together for a buffet supper in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Van Liere and served them succulent dishes they had never tasted before. As a climax to a wonderful meal Mr. Oliver served one of his specialties, flaming brulot, to the guests seated before the open fire in the living room. It was certainly an hour of charm according to one of the guests present. Mr. Van Liere and Mr. Oliver were together during the war so reminiscing was in order at this time.

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The Business and Professional Girl's Club of Y.W.C.A. held their regular supper meeting at the "Y" with a new member, Miss Johnnie Butler, present. Guests introduced were Miss Charlene Lane, Miss Lucille Griffin and Mrs. Irvin Kilpatrick.

Miss D. L. O. Puckett gave the devotion. Her theme was "Just One Thing."

Miss Winifred McWhorter was in charge of the program. Dr. A. M. Serex, the guest speaker, spoke on "Seek and You Shall Find, Look and You Shall See, Knock and It Shall Be Opened Unto You."

After the program the meeting was turned over to the President, Miss Maude Brownlee. Plans for a Christmas party to be held at the Recreation Center on December 19, were discussed.

Hostesses for the evening were Miss Carmen Doles and Mrs. Ella Mae Allbritton.

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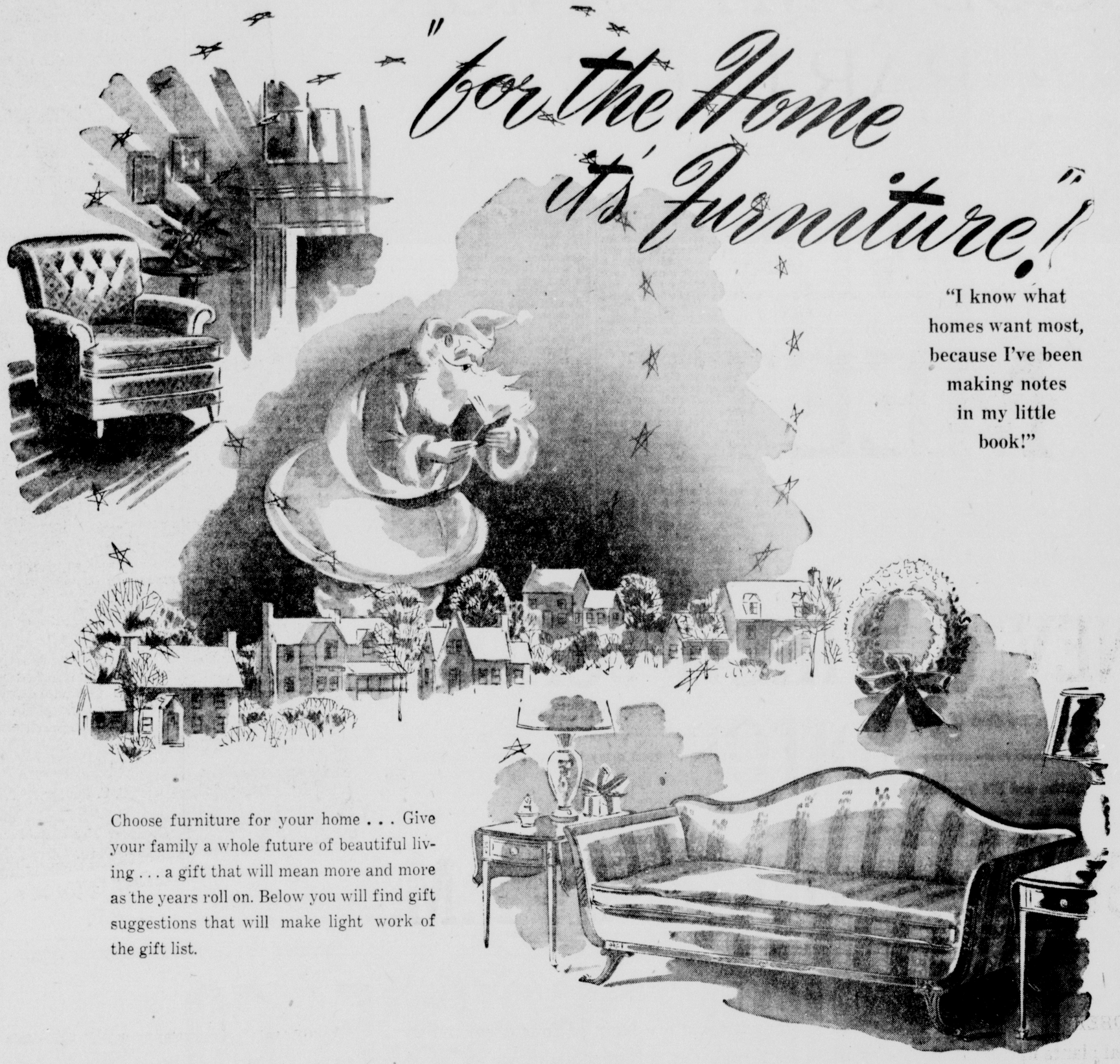
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PLAN TO HOLD CAPITOL MEET

Legislative Council To Assemble In Baton Rouge December 18

BATON ROUGE, La., Dec. 7.—(Special)—Paul C. Young, president of the Louisiana Legislative Council, has mailed to the press of the state announcement of the open meeting of this body in the state capitol December 18 at 10:30 a.m.

The topic to be discussed will be that of the Louisiana constitution and the problems involved in its revision. Those who will lead discussions are Dean Paul M. Hebert, of the L. S. U. Law School, coordinator of the Louisiana Law Institute's revision of the constitution project and Kimbrough Owen, director of research for that project, as well as others interested. The general public is invited to attend.

The discussion will stress:

1. Civil liberties, including suffrage and elections.

2. Organization of the executive branch, including such departments as education, public welfare, institutions. This will naturally include the question of a short or a long ballot.

3. The organization and the responsibilities of the legislative branch, including the question of whether to give more general powers to the legislature, thus obviating the necessity for frequently amending the constitution.

4. Other subjects dealing with taxation, judiciary, etc., will be taken up as time allows.

The following comment is appended by Mr. Young:

"Every citizen in the state should be interested in this constitutional revision project. Therefore all citizens are invited to attend this open meeting, whether or not they belong to one of the 23 state organizations represented in the Louisiana Legislative Council which is calling this meeting. What should our constitution be like? The people of the state should study this question at the very time that the Louisiana Law Institute, which is legally entrusted with the project of drawing up a preliminary draft to be worked on by a constitutional convention, is planning its research, mapping out the work for its subcommittees, and is seeking to get the best thoughts and the wisest and most humane suggestions from all interested persons. Too much thought cannot be given to the revision of the constitution. Let's begin thinking now."

Only 40 per cent of the men's clothing was ready-to-wear as late as 1890.

SUPER MAGIC TO BE DISPLAYED

Dr. Tarbell Will Perplex Audience In Louisiana Tech

"Do you believe in telepathy, mind reading, miracle vision, and so forth?" No? Well listen to this one that 'The Pointer,' West Point Military publication, tells about Dr. Harlan Tarbell, world famous magician and mentalist, who is appearing at Howard auditorium, Ruston, on Monday and Tuesday nights at 8:00 p.m., December 9 and 10, under the auspices of the Louisiana Tech Concert Association.

"Neither did George, the keeper of the secret inspection times, until last Sunday evening when Dr. Harlan Tarbell visited West Point. Dr. Tarbell had performed several intrigueing 'Miracle Vision' demonstrations with his eyes securely blindfolded with adhesive tape and black bandage, when George thought of the perfect foil. Being the beaver that he is, he buzzed right up on the stage and was there told by the blindfolded magician, 'When I think of you, I think of time . . . Monday, 8:25 p.m. . . . 9:10 p.m. . . .' He got no further. The audience roared with laughter and the astounded George saw visions of five, count 'em, demerits for giving away those times. Dr. Tarbell never saw George before, and George had not himself known what the times were. You figure it out. They certainly were correct times because before George got home orders came down from on high to change the times of inspection."

The greatest minds of the world have been baffled at Tarbell's miracle or eyeless vision. He is so amazingly accurate. Recently, though he doesn't bet on the horses, he told sports reporters five days before the Kentucky Derby that No. 2 horse would win. And No. 2 horse, Assault, did win. He may suddenly call a stranger by name and mention the name of his car. He told Lee Shubert, his annual theater passes had run out, and Shubert removing cards from his pocket discovered that they had. He recently drove an auto blindfolded through the crowded streets of Glendale, Calif., Salt Lake City, Erie, Pittsburgh and Chicago.

During his lifetime, the average man shaves 20 square miles of face.

THE NATION TODAY

By James Marlow

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—(AP)—The government is trying a triple squeeze play—a powerful one, if it works—on John L. Lewis.

(If at this point in Lewis' court fight you're confused—there's plenty of reason to be—an explanation is given here.)

But first, here are the government's three plays:

1. A presidential talk to the nation tomorrow night.

2. A court order (injunction) to Lewis to end the coal strike.

3. An appeal to the supreme court.

Mr. Truman will make a nation-wide broadcast at 9:30 p.m., Sunday. It may be aimed at persuading the miners to desert Lewis and return to work.

If they did, it might wreck Lewis as a leader. If they ignored it, the strike might go on indefinitely.

Lewis has been fined $10,000 and his union $3,500,000 for contempt of the first court order telling him not to let the strike happen.

As soon as he sentenced Lewis and the union for contempt of the first order, the judge issued another one (a temporary injunction).

That order tells Lewis and the union the same as the first order: Don't have a strike.

That order stands. It's in effect now. Lewis is ignoring it, just as he ignored the first one.

So any day the judge can call Lewis in again, try him and the union for contempt again, and fine them whopping sums again.

But the judge may not do this until the supreme court has a chance to decide whether he was right in fining Lewis for contempt the first time.

That brings this story up to the present moment in the court fight.

Lewis has made two court moves since he was fined Wednesday:

1. He's asked to have the contempt decision and fine knocked out. This is in the hands of the supreme court. This is the critical part of the court fight.

2. He's asked to have the government complaint against him—that he had no right to tear up his contract—thrown out. This is in the hands of the judge who fined him for contempt. It's a minor court fight.

Here's the story:

When Lewis in mid-November said he was going to end his contract, government lawyers complained to Federal Judge T. Alan Goldsborough that Lewis had no right to end it.

Until he could hear both sides argue this point, the judge ordered Lewis not to end his contract. It's because he disobeyed this order that Lewis was fined for contempt.

Yesterday Lewis' lawyers asked the judge to dismiss the government's complaint that he had no right to end his contract. The judge will have to hold a hearing, and later maybe a trial, on this.

All of that probably would take weeks and may never be necessary, for, in the meantime, the strike may have ended or the supreme court may have handed down a decision making a hearing and trial unnecessary.

The supreme court angle—the one which may settle the case—is this:

On Thursday, Lewis' lawyers asked the United States court of appeals to say Judge Goldsborough was wrong in fining Lewis and the union for contempt.

Yesterday government lawyers got the court of appeals to agree to let the case go directly to the supreme court. The case at this moment is in the supreme court.

The supreme court may say the Lewis appeal should first go to the court of appeals. Or it may decide to handle the appeal itself. If it wished to hurry, the supreme court might be able to give a decision on the appeal in a week or so.

In his appeal Lewis said, among other things, these two: The judge had no right to issue an order to him not to end his contract; and, if the judge had no right to issue the order, he had no right to fine Lewis for contempt. These are things the supreme court could do:

1. Throw the case out on a technically. This would mean Lewis would not have to pay the fine.

2. Say the judge had no right to issue the order not to end the contract for, in effect, that order was an order not to strike. This would be a fatal blow to the government court fight against Lewis.

3. Say that, although the judge had no right to issue the order, once it had been issued Lewis should have obeyed it. This would mean Lewis had to pay his fine although the rest of the government's court fight would probably collapse.

4. Decide the judge not only had the right to issue the order—since the government and not a private employer had asked for it—but that the judge was right in fining Lewis.

If No. 4 happened, then Judge Goldsborough could pull Lewis into court immediately and fine him and the union all over again for failing to obey the present injunction which is in effect now.

POWERFUL PITCH

When the pitch is exactly right the vibrations of a musical note can break a thin glass vessel. The higher notes of a violin pulsate at the rate of 1000 vibrations a second, and this instrument is most commonly used in such experiments.

AIR SERVICE HAS DOWNTOWN OFFICE

Annis Announces Delta Service Staff; 'Flying Twins' Are Instructors

The aviation division of the Delta Ship Service Company, Inc., of New Orleans, which recently leased Hangar No. 4 at the Municipal Airport as its base for a flying school and plane charter and taxi service, has opened downtown headquarters in the front of Community Chest office in the Virginia Hotel building, facing St. John street.

Albert A. Annis, president of the company, yesterday announced the members of the aviation division staff. Local manager of the enterprise is Charles R. Couch, who as a lieutenant (jg) was one of the original members of the navy's famous Black Cat night patrol squadron in the South Pacific.

Chief pilot and head of the instruction department of the flying school is Adolph N. Brocato, of Winnsboro, and his assistant is his twin brother, Ralph. Natives of Mangham, Franklin parish, the "flying twins" entered the army air force at the same time, trained together and went overseas with the same unit, the 379th bomber group. On his 22nd mission from the Kimbolton, England base, Adolph, a captain, was shot down over Erang, Germany, and spent 19 months in a prison camp near Metz. Both he and Ralph, who was a first lieutenant, have had more than 4,000 hours in the air.

Carter Calogne, formerly of New Orleans, is chief mechanic in charge of the servicing and repair of machines at the company's hangar. During the war he was an inspector for Consolidated Aircraft.

The company now has four training planes in operation here and has on order for delivery by the first of the year two four-place machines that will be used on charter trips and in air taxi service. One of the new planes is a Beechcraft Bonanza and the other a Bellanca Cruisair. All planes are equipped for instrument flying, in which the Delta school offers a complete course.

PYTHIAN SISTERS TO ELECT

Pythian Sisters, Monroe Temple No. 1, will meet Monday night, December 9, and Friendship Temple No. 3, Tuesday night, December 10, at 7:30 p.m. at the Temple Hall, 127 1/2 St. John. All members of both temples are urged to be on hand at the meeting of their temple to participate in the election of officers in their temple for the coming year.

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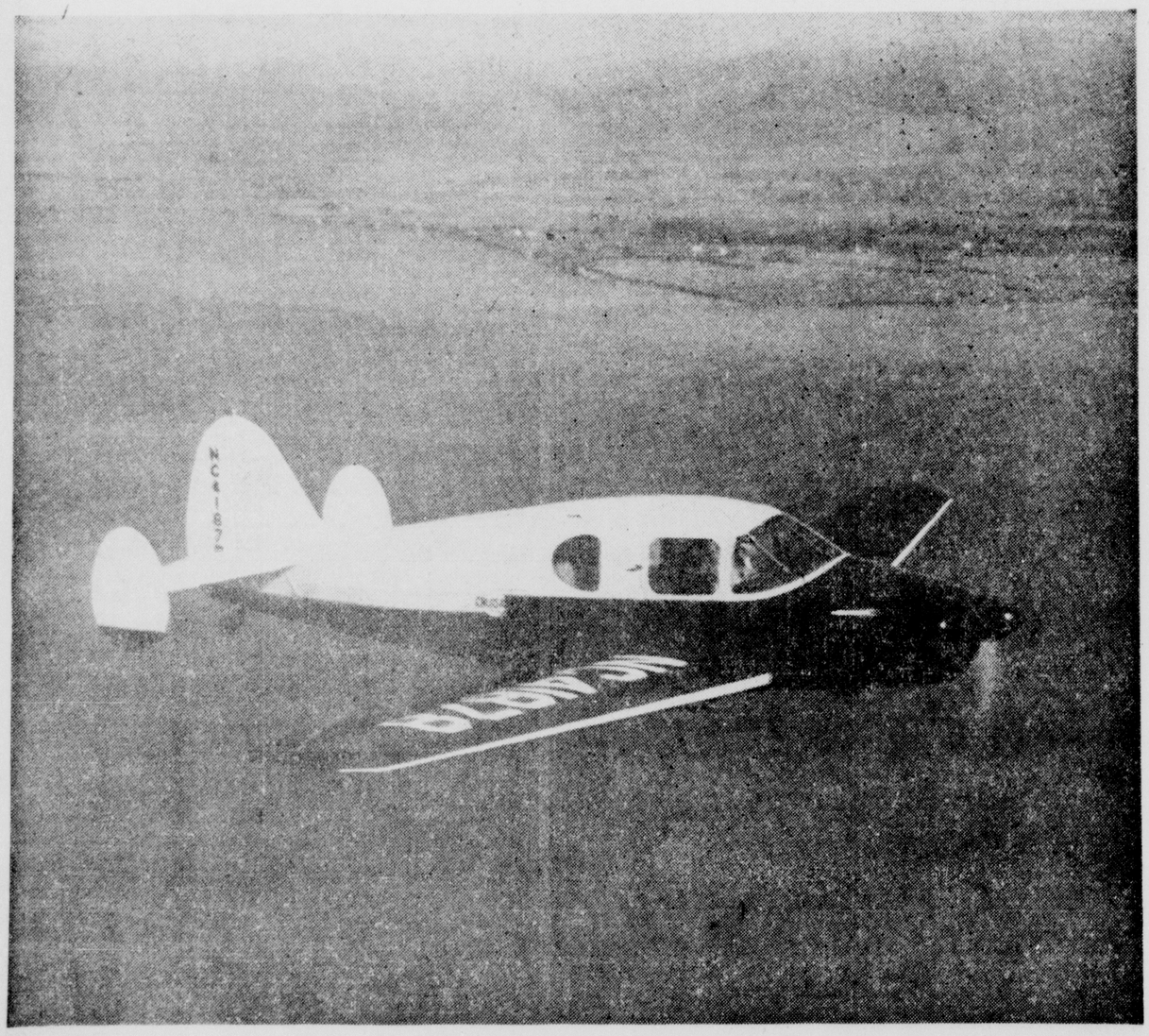
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TERRY AND THE PIRATES

by MILTON CANIFF

BURMA, I HAVE NO INTENTION OF CONTINUING THIS DISCUSSION AFTER TERRY JOINS US!

THAT'S ONE OF THE THINGS I DON'T LIKE ABOUT SUCH DAMES AS YOU, ALLEN—YOU LIKE TO TALK ON TIPTOE!

I PREFER SCENES PERFORMED IN THEATRES—BY PROFESSIONALS... ACTORS, I MEAN!

VERY MINTY, FROSTY! I'LL TAKE MY BEEFS OUT IN OPEN MEETING! THAT WAY I'M LESS LIKELY TO BLEED TO DEATH FROM HAVING MY WRIST SLASHED WHILE SHAKING HANDS WITH SOMEONE!

I USED TO SCRATCH AND CLAW WHEN I WAS A CHILD, BUT I FOUND THE RESULTS INCONCLUSIVE...

WELL, YOU'RE THE INCONCLUSIVE TYPE, ALLEN... THAT'S WHY YOU COOLED TERRY OFF—THEN GAVE HIM THE DELAYED GREEN LIGHT WHEN YOU SAW HOW NEATLY HE FIT INTO BURMA'S ARMS!

YES, YOU'RE RIGHT, BUT I AM EGOIST ENOUGH TO THINK I AM BETTER MEDICINE FOR HIM THAN YOU WOULD BE!

MEDICINE IS RIGHT!.. HAVING DATES WITH YOU MUST BE LIKE GOING OUT WITH TEACHER! TERRY AND I HAVE MORE IN COMMON ...HE'S A GENTLEMAN BEACHCOMBER AT HEART...

WELL, YOU'D MAKE A GOOD LORELEI—AND I'LL BET YOU'VE LURED MANY A SAILOR ON THE ROCKS... NOT TO MENTION SOLDIERS AND MARINES!

YOU EVEN MAKE A DIRTY DIG AS IF YOU WERE POURING TEA AT A SORORITY PARTY... AND BY THE WAY—TERRY IS NOT ONE OF THOSE OLD SCHOOL-TIE TYPES! HE'D SOON GET SICK OF YOUR EX-RAHRAH CHUMS!

THIS IS ABSURD!.. AS YOU SAID BEFORE, BOTH OF US ARE TOO OLD FOR TERRY!

WELL, WE'RE NOT IN A JUNGLE WHERE THERE'S NO OUTSIDE COMPETITION... TERRY COULD BE HIGH-DOGGING WITH MANY LITTLE CHICKS IN THIS TOWN, BUT HE KEEPS COMING BACK TO THIS APARTMENT... I SAY IT'S TO SEE ME!

SINCE TERRY USED TO CALL HERE BEFORE YOU BECAME MY 'GUEST', I THINK I'M SAFE IN ASSUMING HE WISHES TO SEE ME!

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COME IN!

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DICK TRACY

by CHESTER GOULD

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I SAID **I WANT MORE SUGAR!**

YOU WANT MORE SUGAR— MORE SUGAR—

HERE'S A **CAN** FULL OF SUGAR, AND I HAVE MORE IN THE BACK ROOM.

NOW, SIT DOWN **BACK OF THE PIANO** TILL I CALL YOU.

SIT DOWN? BUT WAIT— HAVEN'T WE MET— SOMEWHERE—

I SAID— **SIT!**

THANK YOU, YOU'RE VERY KIND. THIS IS MOST COMFORTABLE.

AND AT THE PIER—

THE BODY IS THAT OF AN UNDER-WORLD GAMBLER NAMED DOUGLAS. HAS QUITE A REPUTATION AROUND THE COUNTRY AS A WELSHER.

VERY THOROUGHLY SHOT UP. POCKETBOOK CONTAINS ABOUT FIFTY DOLLARS. H'M? NO ROBBERY MOTIVE— REVENGE, PERHAPS

THE CAR HAS OUT OF TOWN LICENSE PLATES. LOOK! HE MUST HAVE DRIVEN IN RECENTLY FROM THE COAST, TRACY.

COME, PUT ON YOUR HAT AND COAT. I WANT TO TALK TO YOU.

YES— AS YOU SAY.

MY NAME IS INFLUENCE. YOU STARTED TO SAY WE HAD MET BEFORE. YOU'RE RIGHT. **WE HAVE**. DO YOU REMEMBER WHERE?

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TEN MINUTES LATER.

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H'M? HE'S GONE.

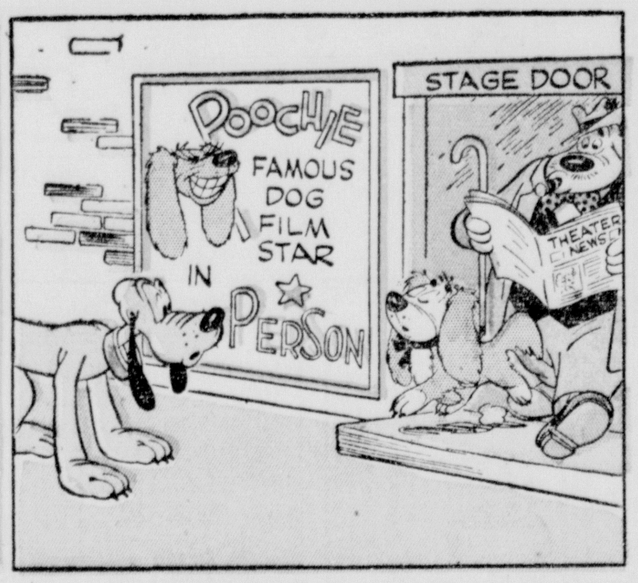
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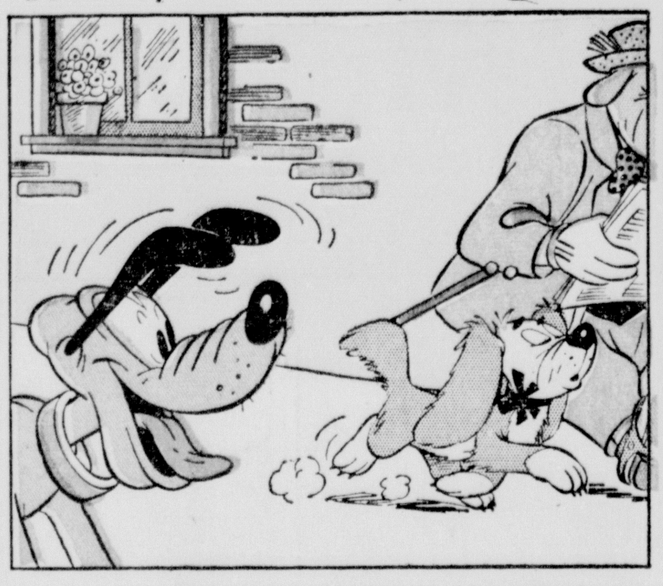
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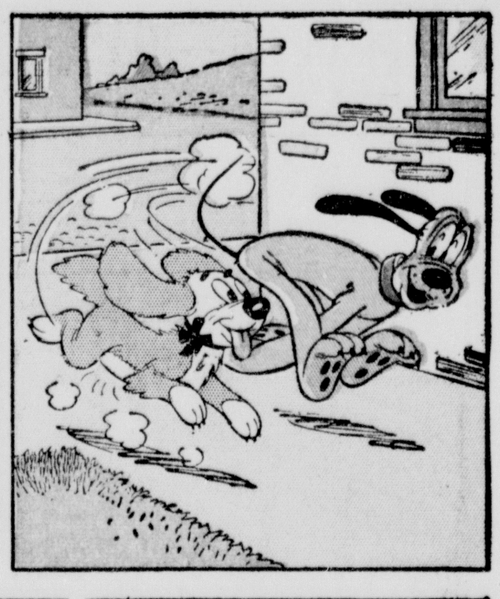


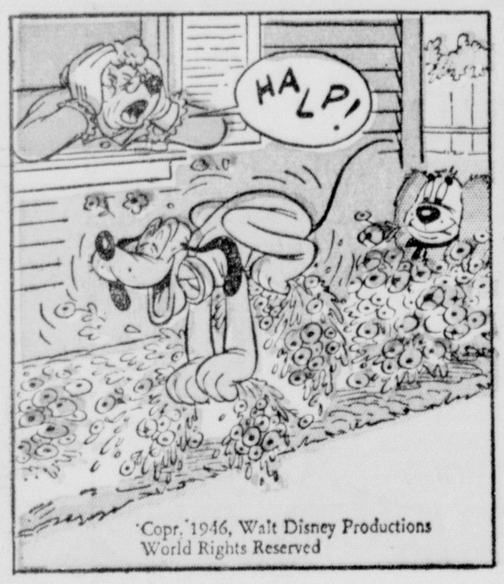
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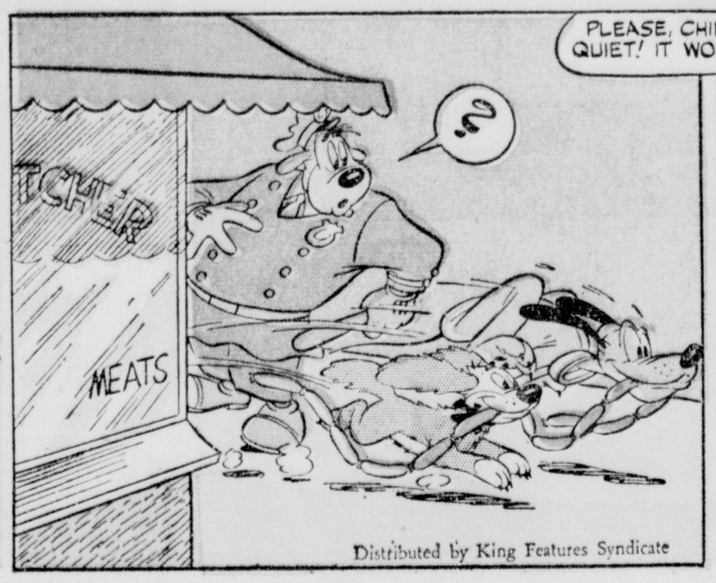


















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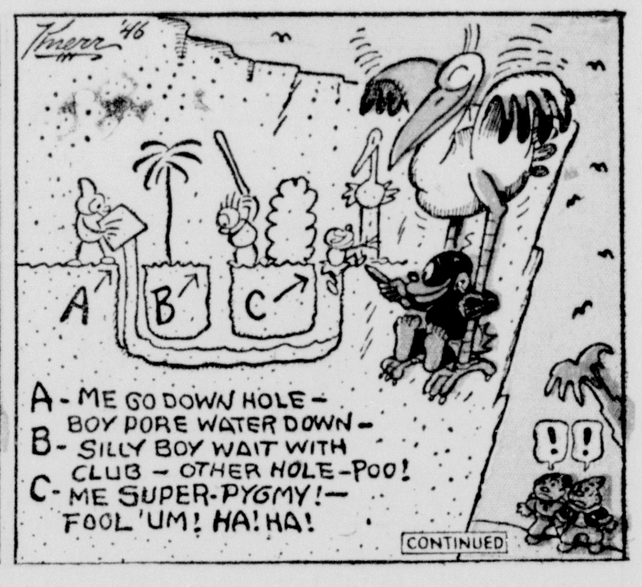




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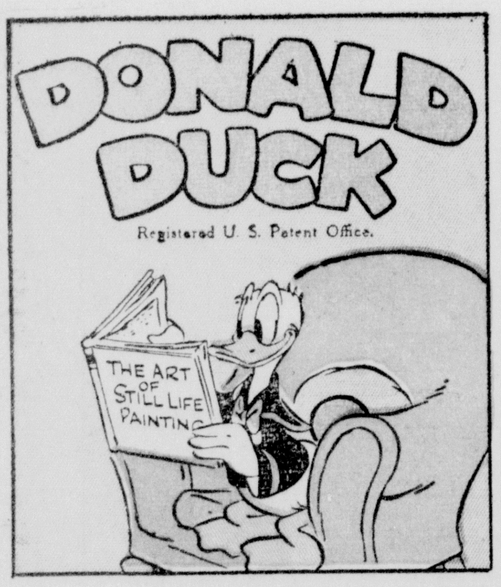


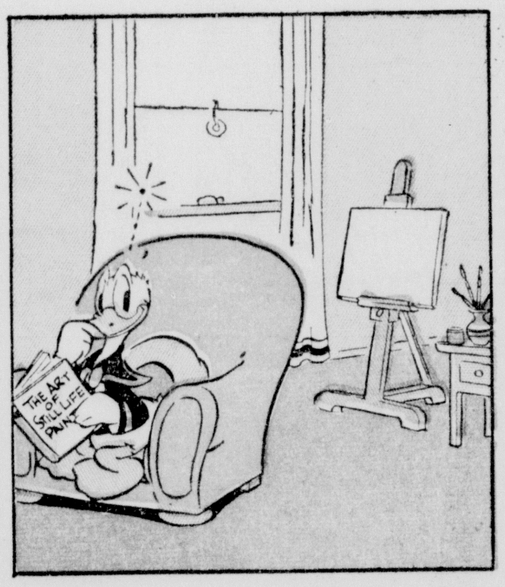




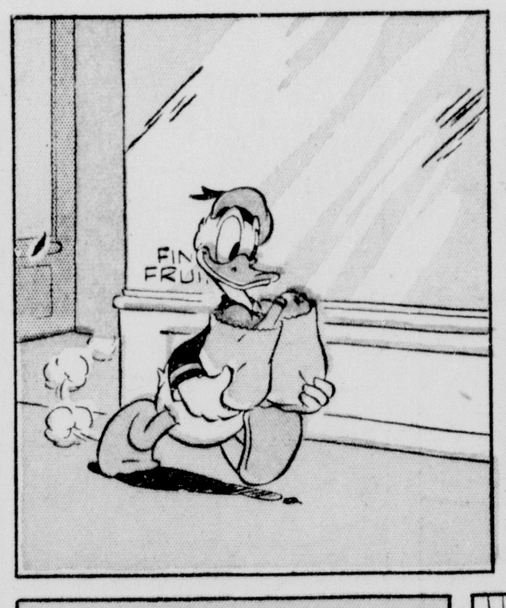
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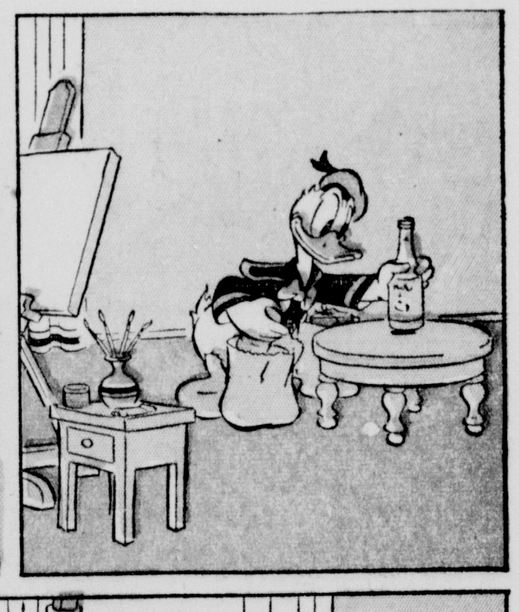
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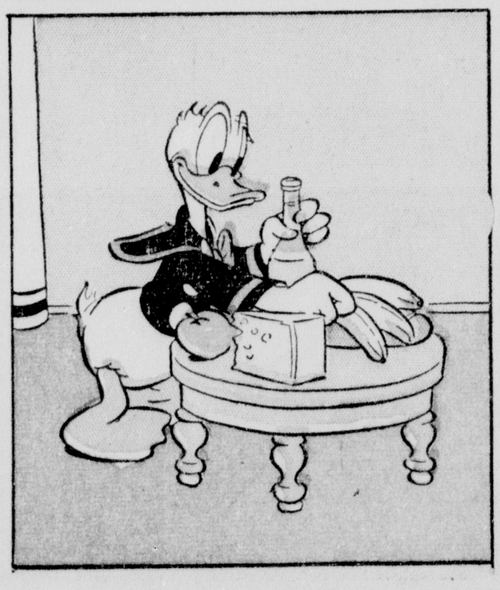






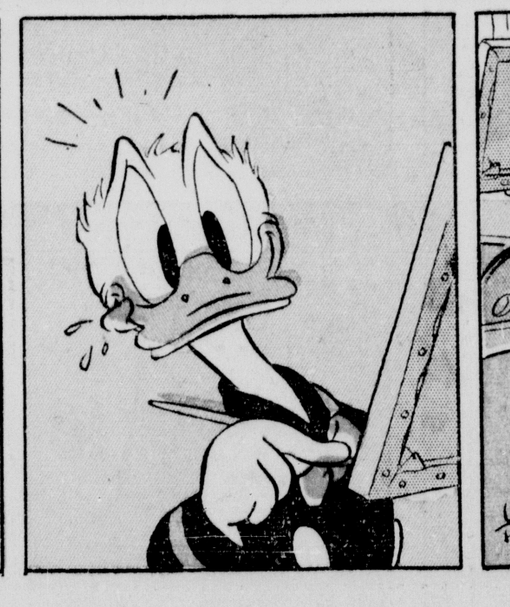








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BLONDIE

by CHIC YOUNG

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WOW--LOOK AT THOSE POTS AND PANS FLY! SHE CAUGHT HIM WITH A VASE!

WHAT ARE YOU DOING?

MR. AND MRS. McNUCKLE ACROSS THE WAY ARE HAVING A FIGHT--BOY, THAT'S EXCITING!

SHAME ON YOU, PEEKING IN ON OTHER PEOPLE'S PRIVATE QUARRELS-- I'M SURPRISED AT YOU!

IT'S AMAZING HOW SHE CAN SWING THAT BROOM-- WOW! LOOK AT THEM GO!

WHY DON'T WE EVER DO ANYTHING EXCITING LIKE THAT? GEE WHIZ, WE NEVER QUARREL

AFTER THE CHILDREN GO TO BED, ALL WE DO IS READ THE NEWSPAPERS AND LISTEN TO THE RADIO

FRANKLY, I'M BORED

NOW, IF YOU HEAR SOME NOISE DOWN-STAIRS DON'T WORRY-- IT'S NOTHING AT ALL

WHAM!

CRASH BANG

THAT MEANS UNCONDITIONAL SURRENDER, MOM!

YOU'RE RIGHT, DEAR, I LIKE THIS BETTER

I THOUGHT YOU WOULD

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BRINGING UP FATHER

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OH-YOU'RE ALL READY FOR THE PARTY-I'M JUST ABOUT READY MYSELF-

YES-THE GUESTS WILL BE ARRIVING SOON-

A MR. KEN MIXUM IS HERE-MRS. JIGGS!!

OH-DEAR-HE MUST BE MRS. HERMEALS' FRIEND!!

"HOW DO YOU DO? CHARMED TO SEE YOU-BY THE WAY-WHERE DID YOU LEAVE YOUR CAR?

ABOUT FOUR BLOCKS AWAY-THAT'S THE NEAREST STOP IT MAKES NEAR HERE-

YOU MUST HAVE A LITTLE SNACK-DO YOU LIKE ANCHOVIES?

I DON'T KNOW HER-IS SHE A RELATIVE OF UNCLE KNUCKLES?

YOU MUST TRY THOSE CAVIAR SNACKS-HOW DO YOU LIKE THEM?

?

BY GOLLY--TH' SOFTEST BUCKSHOT I EVER ATE!

IN A BATHING SUIT-MARY SAW MAX-AND MAX SAW MARY IN SLACKS-NO DICE!!

THIS IS AWFUL!

HELLO-KEN-GO RIGHT IN THE KITCHEN AN' GIT TH' GLASSES AN' ICE CUBES READY-

!

THANKS-I HAVE SUFFERED ENOUGH OUT HERE!

WHO WAS THAT?

A BARTENDER I HIRED TO SERVE REFRESHMENTS TONIGHT-HE'S TH' BEST IN TOWN-

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Right Around HOME

by

Dudley Fisher

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HERE WE COME--READY OR NOT

DON'T YOU DARE TAKE A BATH UNTIL THEY GET THE CURTAINS UP AT THIS WINDOW!

ALICE, WITH YOUR RHEUMATISM, I DON'T THINK YOU SHOULD SIT ON THAT WET MORTAR

CAN YOU USE THESE TABLE BOARDS SOMEPLACE? THEY NEVER DID ANYTHING FOR US BUT BRING A LOT OF COMPANY WE DIDN'T WANT!

I DON'T SUPPOSE YOU COULD FIND A FEW NAILS!

NOT MUCH OF A HOUSE!

WELL, IT'S PLENTY TO TAKE CARE OF WHEN YOU CAN'T GET ANY HELP

WELL, FREDDIE, I TOLD YOU WE'D BE UNDER OUR OWN ROOF BY CHRISTMAS, AND YOU THOUGHT I WAS CRAZY!

CONGRATULATIONS, NUTTSIE! I DIDN'T THINK YOU'D MAKE IT

UNPACK THE GLASSES, NUTTSIE! WE BROUGHT A LITTLE HOUSE WARMER

IT'S GOING TO BE HARD TO WARM WITH ALL THAT VENTILATION!

I'LL GO GET SOME MORE HEAT

HIYA, FELLERS! COME ON IN!

SORRY TO MAKE YOU ALL COME TO THE SIDE ENTRANCE, BUT I THINK OUR FRONT DOOR IS STILL A TREE!

COME ON, GIRLS! THIS WAY!

LOOK! SHE'S GOT CURTAINS UP ALREADY!

ARNOLD! COME BACK HERE!

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BARNEY GOOGLE AND SNUFFY SMITH

AUNT LOWIZIE.. I JES' SEEN THAT 'OL' GABBY-MOUTH MIZ TINKLER HEADIN' THIS-A-WAY

FURIATION ALIVE!!

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HER TONGUE WAGS LIKE IT WUZ HUNG IN TH' MIDDLE, AN' PEARS TO WABBLE AT BOTH ENDS

THAT FEMALE WOULD SET AN' GOSSIP TILL TH' CRACK O' DOOM IF YE GIVE HER HA'F AN EAR

A BODY CAIN'T LISSEN TO HER INFUNNEL JIBBER-JABBERIN' TH' LIVELONG DAY AN' GIT ENNY HOUSEHOLD CHORES DONE

HYAR SHE COMES, AUNTIE!!

PAW!! WAKE UP, PAW!! MIZ TINKLER'S ON TH' FRONT DOOR STOOP

BALLS O' FIRE!!

HOWDY DEW, MIZ TINKLER.. I'D AX YE IN FER A DISH O' TEA BUT MY MAN SNUFFY'S IN TH' WARSH TUB

THANKY JES' TH' SAME, MIZ SMIF.. I'LL DRAP AROUND AGIN TOMORRY

I SWOW!! I WISHT YE AN' MIZ TINKLER WOULD PATCH UP YORE DIFFERMENTS, LOWIZIE!!

SHHH.. SHE'S LIGHTIN' DOWN IN TH' ROCKY-CHAIR

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Tarzan

by EDGAR RICE BURROUGHS

CAPTURED AT THE VERY ENTRANCE TO THE MOUNTAIN STRONGHOLD HE HAD SOUGHT SO LONG, TARZAN STOOD AT BAY WITH HIS HANDS HELD HIGH.

'YOU GUYS WERE WARNED,' A CAPTOR SNAPPED. 'NOW MOVE! AFTER NUMBER ONE WORKS YOU OVER, YOU'LL BE SORRY MATERIAL FOR HIS LABORATORIES!'

'OM-AT, TRIP YOUR CAPTOR WITH YOUR TAIL,' TARZAN SAID IN WAZ-DON. 'SHUT UP! NONE OF THEM FOREIGN LANGUAGES,' ONE CAUTIONED. 'GET MOVING!'

THE ACTION FOLLOWED QUICKLY. WHEN OM-AT'S MAN FELL, TARZAN DELIVERED A BLOW THAT DOWNED THE OTHER. THE SOLDIERS SHIELDED THEM FROM THE MACHINE GUNNER.

HOLDING THE STUNNED MEN BEFORE THEM AS SHIELDS AGAINST MACHINE-GUN FIRE, THE APE-MAN AND HIS FRIEND BACKED DOWN THE TRAIL UNTIL THEY WERE OUT OF SIGHT.

THOSE WHO HAD BEEN CAPTIVES TOOK THEIR ERSTWHILE CAPTORS AND SWUNG INTO THE TREE-TOPS. 'NOW,' TARZAN THOUGHT, 'I CAN LEARN SOMETHING!'

IN A SECLUDED SPOT, THE JUNGLE LORD QUESTIONED HIS PRISONER. THREATENING HIM WITH FORCE, HE SAID: 'SPEAK, JACKAL-- WHAT IS HAPPENING HERE?'

THE MAN CRINGED AND REFUSED TO TALK. 'TELL ME,' TARZAN GROWLED, 'DO YOU HOLD A WOMAN PRISONER? TELL ME, OR MY KNIFE WILL SLIT YOUR GULLET!'

'NO! NO! I DON'T KNOW A THING,' THE MAN CROAKED. 'IF I TELL YOU, *THEY'LL* KILL ME ANYWAY--' HE STOPPED AND LISTENED. 'DO YOU HEAR THEM? THEY'RE COMING!'

TARZAN LISTENED AND HEARD THE GHOULISH, LAUGHING BARK OF HYENAS. A MOMENT LATER, A FEROCIOUS PACK FOLLOWED BY A UNIFORMED GIANT BROKE INTO VIEW.

'THE HYENA-HOUNDS!' ONE PRISONER WAILED. 'THEY'LL TEAR US TO BITS! NUMBER X-1341 CAN'T CONTROL THEM WHEN THEY'RE ON A SCENT!' HE TURNED TO RUN.

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NEXT WEEK: DOGS OF DEATH!

LI'L ABNER

by AL CAPP

HYAR WE IS—JEST OUTSIDE O' **LONDON!!** WOULDN'T BE SUPPRIZED EF TH' POP-OO-LAY-SHUN WERE AS THICK AS DOGPATCH!!

NO POP-OO-LAY-SHUN IS AS THICK AS US DOGPATCHERS!! EV'RYBODY SAYS THET—

WILL YOU PLEASE PULL OVER, SIR?—

YOU WERE EXCEEDING THE SPEED LIMIT, SIR!!—

OH, REALLY? SORRY!

I'M REQUIRED TO GIVE YOU A SUMMONS, SIR!

QUITE SO!!

COULDN'T HELP OVERHEARIN' HOW YO' DEALT WIF THET SITCH-EE-AY-SHUN!! YO' WENT AT IT IN A **VURRY** UNAMERICAN WAY!!—

INDEED, SIR?—AND WHAT WOULD THE AMERICAN WAY, BE?

AH'LL SHOW YO'!—NOW—S'POSE **PANSY** IS TH' **DRIVER—AH** IS TH' **COP**—— THIS IS TH' HUNDERD PERCENT, RED-BLOODED, AMERICAN WAY!!

WHAR'S TH' FIRE? DIDN'T YO SEE MAH HAND—OR ARE YO' BLIND? PULL OVER!! SCREECH!!

IT'S MANIACS LIKE YO' THET CAUSE ALL TH' TROUBLE!!—IF YO'RE TOO STUPID T' DRIVE—YO' OUGHTA WALK!!

I OUGHTA RUN YO' IN—YO' MORONIC, FAT-HEADED ©!!★ ★ ?!—

IS THET ALL, OFFISUH?

YAH—SCRAM!!

SO **THAT'S** THE AMERICAN WAY!! THE MOTORIST SMASHES THE BOBBY IN THE FACE!!— I MUST SAY, HE DESERVED IT, MADAME!

THEY **ALL** DESARVES IT, WHEN THEY ACKS THET WAY!!—BUT US AMERICANS JEST SWALLERS IT, MEEKLY!!—SMASHIN' PAPPY WERE STRICKLY A **FAMBLY MATTER!** HE FO'GOT HE WERE MERELY ACTIN'!

LONDON, ENGLAND. 12-8

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Captain Easy

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HALF-GAINER'S PLANS TO REDECORATE CUTTING INN RESULT IN THE DISCOVERY OF THE CACHE OF ROBBERY LOOT LEFT BY A SLAIN BANDIT

SO THIS IS THE DO-RE-MI THAT INSURANCE GUY WAS LOOKIN' FOR!

BUT WE'RE NOT TURNING IT OVER TO HIM YET, HALF-GAINER!

I'M A LITTLE SUSPICIOUS OF HIM AND I WANT TO CHECK HIS CREDENTIALS FIRST!

OKAY, WISE GUY! I'LL HAVE THAT MONEY BY THE TIME YOU FIND OUT, MY NAME'S NOT TRACK!

I'LL GET MONK AND JAWBONE TO HELP IN CASE CAPTAIN EASY GETS TOUGH!

TWEET!

MEANWHILE, THE REAL MR. TRACK IS A PRISONER OF HOODLUMS WHO ARE HUNTING THE MONEY

TWEET!

COME ON, JAWBONE! MYSTERIOUS IS WHISTLIN' FOR US!

WHAT'LL WE DO WITH THIS INSURANCE SNOOPER?

LEAVE HIM! HE CAN'T UNTIE HIMSELF BEFORE WE GET BACK!

BUT I CAN UNTIE HIM!

SO YOU'RE THE REAL MR. TRACK! ONE OF THOSE GANGSTERS IS IMPERSONATING YOU AT THE HOTEL!

THEY SLUGGED ME AND TIED ME UP!

I'M CARMEN McGURKEY--MY BROTHER AND I ARE HELPING CAPTAIN EASY OPEN THE INN!

IF YOU DON'T HURRY, SOMETHING MAY HAPPEN TO YOUR BROTHER AND YOUR FRIEND! THOSE FELLOWS SHOOT FAST!

WE'LL STOW THIS CASH HERE TILL WE CHECK ON MR. TRACK--

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IT AIN'T NECESSARY, BUD! WE GOT CREDENTIALS ENOUGH IN OUR MITTS TO TAKE THE CASH NOW!

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

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MAJOR HOOPLE

THIS IS MY DEN, BOYS! IF THE CURIOS HERE COULD TALK, THEY WOULD TELL GRIPPING STORIES OF HOOPLE VALOR!

LOOK! EVEN A MUMMY CASE!

EGAD! HERE IS AN OLD SPEAR AS FAMILIAR AS MY OWN THUMB! I USED IT HUNTING THE WILD LEOBEAR IN BALUCHISTAN!

THE LEOBEAR, NOW EXTINCT, HAD A LEOPARD'S HEAD, THE FUR OF A BEAR, WITH SPOTS, AND ARMS OF A GORILLA WITH HUMAN HANDS =

TO GET HIM, I HAD TO SPEAR THE FELLOW IN A TREE ROOST 50 FEET HIGH --I ONLY WANTED TO WOUND HIM, OF COURSE!

SEE, PINKY? HERE ARE TOOTH MARKS WHERE HE BIT THE SPEAR SAVAGELY!

?

OH, UNCLE AMOS! COME OVER HERE --I WANT TO TELL YOU SOMETHING!

EH? HOW'S THAT?

SSST! THAT'S THE SPEAR I CARRY IN THE SCHOOL PLAY! I LEFT IT IN THE HALL, AND AUNT MARTHA MUST HAVE PUT IT IN HERE!

UG!

KAK-KAK! NOW HERE'S A SHIELD, BOYS --UM-- ONCE IN THE DEEPEST PART OF AFRICA, WHEN I BECAME LOST DURING A TREK--

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ALLEY OOP

by V. T. Hamlin

LOOK! ITSY BITSY, OUR OLD FOREMAN, HAS RETURNED AFTER ALL THESE YEARS!

THAT I HAVE! AND MY STARS, MRS. SANTA CLAUS, YOU HAVEN'T CHANGED A BIT IN CENTURIES!

FLATTERER! YOU KNOW GIRLS WHO BELIEVE IN SANTA CLAUS ALWAYS STAY YOUNG!

THIS IS ALLEY OOP, A GREAT GUY TO HAVE AROUND WHEN THERE'S TROUBLE!

WELCOME, SIR! I'M HAPPY TO KNOW YOU!

YOU DIDN'T LOOK TOO HAPPY THROUGH TH' WINDOW A MINUTE AGO!

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BELIEVE ME, I'M NOT! I'VE REALLY GOT TROUBLE!

MEBBE I CAN LEND A HAND!

SHOW MR. OOP AROUND, DEAR, WHILE I FIX ITSY UP WITH HIS UNIFORM!

BY GOSH, SANTA, YOU SURE GOT A LULU OF A TOY FACTORY HERE!

MATERIAL SHORTAGES HAVE CUT PRODUCTION SOME--BUT SKEPTICAL KIDS ARE MY BIG HEADACHE... TAKE THIS LETTER, FOR EXAMPLE!

FLIGHT 6 ok

FLIGHT 2 ok

FLIGHT 3 ok

FLIGHT 5 ok

LOOK AT THE AGENTS I'M SENDING OUT TO INTERVIEW YOUNGSTERS IN STORES AND PLACES--A FINE BUNCH OF FREAKS!

ALL ABOARD! MIDWEST SPECIAL--STEP LIVELY!

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UP TO NOW YOU'VE SHOWN ME NOTHIN' SERIOUS... WHAT'S REALLY BITIN' YOU?

ALLEY, IT'S MY WEIGHT! I CAN'T GET INTO MY MAGIC SUIT!

...AND IF I CAN'T WEAR IT ON MY ROUNDS, LOTS OF CHILDREN ARE GOING TO BE DISAPPOINTED CHRISTMAS MORNING!

SO THIS IS HOW YOU SQUEEZE INTO APARTMENT HOUSE STEAMPIPES AND SUCH!

RIGHT! BUT I HAVE TO WEIGH EXACTLY 230 TO GET INTO IT--AND LOOK!

HOW CAN I HOPE TO LOSE 45 POUNDS IN A COUPLE OF WEEKS?

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The PHANTOM

by LEE FALK and RAY MOORE

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BUT YOU SAID YOU NEEDED THE BLOOD OF A ROYAL PRINCESS TO CURE MY CHILD. YET YOU HAVEN'T HARMED HER---

"BLOOD" WAS YOUR WORD, NOT MINE, KING WOG.

1

I SAID I NEEDED A PRINCESS THE SAME AGE. ALL YOUR CHILD NEEDED WAS A PLAYMATE TO MAKE HER HAPPY.

2

THEN ALL IS WELL. WE'LL KEEP VALERIE HERE, AS A PLAY-MATE FOR MY CHILD.

I WANT TO GO HOME— I WANT TO SEE MY GRAMPY--

3

ALL IS NOT WELL, KING WOG. VALERIE IS NOT STAYING HERE. NEITHER ARE YOU. YOU'RE GOING BACK WITH HER, TO FACE CHARGES OF KIDNAPPING, WITH INTENT TO KILL.

4

FOR GOODNESS' SAKE, LEAVE WELL ENOUGH ALONE, PLEASE. WE'LL FIGURE OUT A WAY TO GET HER AWAY FROM HERE.

NO-- I MUST ACT NOW.

5

ARE YOU MAD, SPEAKING THUS TO ME---MY PRISONER?

A BARGAIN, KING WOG. IF I CAN DEFEAT YOUR OVERSIZED CHAMPION—WILL YOU GIVE YOURSELF UP?

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GO AHEAD. IT WILL GIVE ME PLEASURE TO SEE HIM TEAR YOU APART, PIECE BY PIECE!

7

NEXT WEEK: THE FIGHT

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JOE PALOOKA

BY HAM FISHER

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?

'SCUSE ME.

CRASH!

SHALL I START THE COUNT, JUDGE?

CERTAINLY--- THE ONE WHO'S IN THE RING BEFORE THE COUNT IS OVER WINS!

ONE

I'M TERRIBLE SORRY, JOE... ARE YOU AWRIGHT... I DIDN'T MEAN TO DRAG YOU ALONG.

PHEW! I GUESS SO, HUMPHREY.

TWO

JOE... GIT IN THE RING QUICK... THE REF'S STARTIN' T'COUNT... HURRY... YA KNOW TH' RULE!

GIT IN THE RING, HUMPHREY... HURRY YUP!

GIT IN HUMPHREY

UHHH... I CAN'T MOVE HIM.

THREE

HE'S ON TOP OF JOE... IT'S A FOUL!

I'M COMIN'... OOP

C'MON.

C'MON.

C'MON, JOE...

FOUR

I'M OKAY... THANK YOU. IT'S AGAINST THE RULES TO HELP ME UP.

FIVE

?

SIX— SEVEN

UGHHH... MMMPF... COFF...

DON'T TRY T'PULL YER-SELF UP LIKE HIM! GO UP THE STEPS, YA FOOL!

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NEVER THOT OF IT. GRACIOUS ME.

EIGHT

NINE

DEAR, DEAR... I'M KINDA STUCK...

!

TO BE CONTINUED

Dixie Dugan

BY McEVOY AND STRIEBEL

WHERE ARE WE GOING?

OPEN HOUSE AT LEE STEWART'S

IT'S GOING TO BE A MIXED AFFAIR SO WE WON'T NEED "DATES"

I HATE PARTIES LIKE THIS

WHY?

WELL—FOR ONE THING— I WON'T KNOW ANYBODY—

SO WHAT?—GET ACQUAINTED!

I WON'T KNOW WHAT TO TALK ABOUT!

YOU— OF ALL PEOPLE!

BESIDES I MIGHT PULL A FAUX PAS

HOW?

I MIGHT BE GETTING ACQUAINTED WITH SOME NICE YOUNG MAN ONLY TO FIND OUT HE'S MARRIED

PHOOEY—

YOU CAN ALWAYS TELL MARRIED COUPLES FROM SINGLE—

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MARRIED!

STRIEBEL

JUNGLE JIM

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THE DYING SHAN PLEADS FOR JUSTICE. "BULL KILL ME. HIM STEAL TEMPLE TREASURE. HIM DRUG GIRL, LITA, SO SHE BELIEVE HIS LIES. HIM ALL BAD!"

"SO LITA DIDN'T REALLY MEAN TO SEND ME AWAY!" CARSON SAYS, EAGERLY. THE SHAN GASPS, "ME SHOW YOU BULL'S SECRET. YOU FIX HIM, ME DIE HAPPY."

THEY FOLLOW A HIDDEN PASSAGE OF THE ANCIENT ORACLES, INTO THE REAR OF THE WAT (SIAMESE TEMPLE) WHICH BULL HAS TAKEN OVER AS HIS HEADQUARTERS.

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A PANEL LETS THEM ENTER AN UNDERGROUND ROOM. "LOOK---STOLEN TEMPLE ORNAMENTS. NO WONDER BULL DISCOURAGES VISITORS!" CARSON GASPS.

NEXT WEEK: **GOLDEN TRAP**

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FLASH GORDON

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A CAVE-IN MAROONS FLASH AND DALE IN THE GLACIER RIVER. "*CAN YOU FORM A HUMAN CHAIN?*" FLASH SHOUTS TO THE PUZZLED CAVE MEN.

GURK IS STUPID, BUT WILLING. HE MAKES THE CAVE MEN FOLLOW FLASH'S ORDERS. THEIR CLAWLIKE HANDS GRIP FIRMLY AS THEY MAKE A LIVING CHAIN.

FLASH LIFTS DALE: "*GRAB HOLD -- AND CLIMB UP QUICKLY!*" HE DOESN'T HEED DALE'S PROTEST, "*BUT HOW ARE YOU GOING TO GET UP?*"

FLASH ANXIOUSLY WATCHES DALE SCRAMBLE TO SAFETY. THEN HE WARNS, "*HOLD FAST, MEN!*" --AND SPRINGS UPWARD. IF HE MISSES, OR THE CHAIN BREAKS, THE RIVER WILL BE HIS TOMB.

SUDDENLY, GURK, WHO HAS ALREADY STARTED ONWARD, MAKES A SHOCKING DISCOVERY. "*CRACK IN ICE -- NO WAY ACROSS -- US TRAPPED!*"

NEXT WEEK: **CHASM.**

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Little Orphan Annie

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DID YOU EVER KNOW IT 'TO FAIL? NEVER CAN FIND A COP WHEN YOU NEED ONE THE MOST--BUT WHEN YOU WANT ONE THE LEAST, THERE HE IS, BIG AND PESTY AS LIFE!

THE OPEN ROAD! INDEPENDENCE! NOBODY BOSSIN' US AROUND! IT SURE IS GREAT STUFF! YEAH! FREEDOM! FREEDOM TO GET HIT ON TH' HEAD AND ROBBED!

THAT CASE HAD THOUSANDS IN IT! NOW I'M BROKE! BUSTED! A PAUPER! JUST A BUM!

FORGET IT--ASIDE FROM THE BUMPS ON OUR HEADS WE'VE GOT OUR HEALTH!

WHAT'S MONEY, ANYWAY? JUST THE ROOT OF ALL EVIL--MONEY'S NO GOOD!

OH, SURE! YOU'RE TALKIN' ABOUT CONFEDERATE MONEY, O' COURSE! HONEST, I FEEL SICK TO MY STUMMICK!

AS LONG AS I HAVE A PENCIL, ANNIE, WE'LL EAT--WE'LL GET ALONG O. K.--NOTHING CAN STOP US--

MAYBE NOT--BUT THIS COP COMIN' SURE LOOKS AS IF HE MIGHT TRY TO!

ALL RIGHT, YOU TWO! WHERE YOU COMIN' FROM? WHERE YOU GOING? WHAT ARE YOUR NAMES? SPEAK UP!

I'VE JUST BEEN ROBBED! TWO THUGS! THEY HAD A GUN!

NO KIDDIN'--ROBBED YOU O' THOUSANDS O' DOLLARS, NO DOUBT--AND YOUR JEWELS AND SABLES, EH?

FORGET IT, SIS! SHE HAS AN AWFUL IMAGINATION, OFFICER--

YEAH? AND WHAT HAVE YOU GOT THERE? LET'S SEE THAT!

OH, THIS? YOU SEE I'M THE WORLD'S GREATEST CARTOONIST! GOT TO KEEP IN PRACTICE, YOU KNOW--

SA-A-AY! THIS ISN'T BAD! YOU MUST BE GOOD--YOU SURE BEAT TH' JOB NATURE DID ON ME! WHY, YOU'VE MADE ME REALLY HANDSOME!

GUESS YOU TWO ARE O. K.--BROTHER AND SISTER, EH? DOWN ON YER LUCK--WELL, THINGS ARE BAD ALL OVER--COME ALONG WITH ME--

ER--WHERE TO, OFFICER?

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OH, NOT WHAT YOU THINK--HERE--JUST A LUNCH CAR--BUT TH' GRUB'S GOOD--AND IT'S ON ME--SEE?

SA-A-AY--YOU'RE ALL RIGHT! THANKS A LOT--

FORGET IT, KID! HA! HA! THIS PITCHER IS A CORKER--WAIT'LL I GET IT FRAMED!

GEE, YOU WERE RIGHT, TIK TOK!

THE POWER OF THE PEN, ANNIE! PASS TH' BREAD!

HAROLD GRAY

SMILIN' JACK

WELL, RIPSAW, I BROUGHT YOUR GIRL, JUST AS I PROMISED! --C.O.D.--THAT MEANS, CARESS ON DELIVERY, SON!

C.O.D. AN' HOW! HOW DID YOU EVER GET OUT WITHOUT YOUR FATHER KNOWING IT?

OH, HE KNOWS! THE WAY MR. MARTIN SWUNG TH' DEAL WAS SIMPLY MARVELOUS!

SINCE WELCOME'S FATHER IS BUILDING MY HANGAR, I FELT SURE HE'D BE NICE TO ME!

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--I DROPPED BY HIS HOUSE TO DISCUSS PLANS FOR AN AIRPORT HOUSING UNIT AN'--

--WHEN HE SAW WHAT A BIG DEAL IT MIGHT TURN INTO, HE WAS EXTREMELY NICE--THEN HE INTRODUCED ME TO WELCOME!

4 --AND WHEN PAPA WASN'T LOOKIN', JACK WHISPERED WHAT WAS COOKIN'!

--NEXT DAY, JACK PHONED AND ASKED ME FOR A DATE AND PAPA LIKED THE IDEA!

5 WELL, YOU TWO RUN ALONG AND HAVE FUN!

NO, YOU'RE COMING WITH US, JACK! REMEMBER, WE ARE SUPPOSED TO FIND YOU A GIRL!

WE'RE GOIN' TO TH' LIGHTHOUSE CLUB--MY CROWD GOES THERE!--AND SOME OF MY GIRL FRIENDS AREN'T MARRIED!

LATER 6 I DON'T SEE ANY OF MY FRIENDS TONIGHT, BUT WE'LL SURELY RUN INTO SOME OF THEM TH' NEXT TIME "WE" ALL HAVE A DATE!

THAT'S OKAY, WELCOME. SAY, WHY AREN'T YOU AN' RIPSAW DANCING? SOME MIGHTY HOT MUSIC IS A-WASTIN'!

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I RECKON I DID TOO MUCH PLOWIN' WHEN I WAS A KID! MY CLOD-HOPPERS JUST DON'T TRACK TO RHYTHM!

--IT'S TOO BAD, TOO 'CAUSE WELCOME JUST LOVES TO DANCE! SAY, JACK, WHY DON'T YOU DANCE WITH HER?

WELL, THANKS! IT'LL BE A PLEASURE! --THAT IS, IF MISS WELCOME HAS NO OBJECTIONS!

WHY, I'D BE DELIGHTED!

♫ MR. MARTIN, YOU DANCE DIVINELY! ♫

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MOON MULLINS

by Frank Willard

OW! MY GOUT IS GIVING ME THE DICKENS, DEARIE.

WELL, I JEST GIVE MOON A DOLLAR TO PUSH YOU TO THE DOCTOR'S OFFICE. THAT'S CHEAPER THAN HAVING THE DOCTOR CALL HERE.

SAY, YOU WANNA MAKE YERSELF 50¢, KAYO?

I'D LIKE TO GIVE YOU A WORD OF ADVICE, KAYO, WHICH I HOPE WILL PREVENT YOU FROM EVER GROWING UP TO BE LIKE YOUR BROTHER.

AND IF I TAKE YER ADVICE, LORD PLUSHBOTTOM, WILL I BE LIKE YOU?

YES, KAYO, I DARE SAY THAT YOU WILL.

GEE! THEN I YAM REALLY IN A JAM!

SPLOP!

I BETTER BEAT IT HOME AND PUT ON SOME DRY DUDS.

SAY-YOU'RE OLD ENOUGH TO KNOW NOT TO PARK THAT CHARIOT BY A FIRE PLUG, BUB!

I DO, BUT THE LITTLE BOY EVIDENTLY DIDN'T.

I CAN'T IMAGINE WHAT HAPPENED TO HIM.

OH, WELL, YOU KNOW BOYS WILL BE BOYS.

OW! CAREFUL OF MY FOOT!

OH-OH!

I GOT YA!

I NEVER KNEW PARKING BY A FIREPLUG WAS A PENITENT'RY OFFENSE.

THE GUMPS

GUS EDSON 12-8

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T-TULIP! MY DAUGHTER! THEY'RE GOING TO SACRIFICE HER!

OVER OUR DEAD BODIES!

IT IS WRITTEN BY ANCIENT PROPHET THAT YOU, GOLDEN GODDESS, WILL CHOOSE ONE OF YOUR RETAINERS TO BE SACRIFICED!

IT'S BETWEEN YOU AND ME, SOC!

I SELECT HIM!

WE ARE IN SPOT! HE IS IMPORTANT MAN IN TEMPLE -- KEEPER OF SACRED BELL--GOLDEN GODDESS SHOULD NOT PICK HIM!

HE TELLS THE WORSHIPPERS THAT I AM A FAKER--- THAT YOU ARE ALL JUST MORTALS -- *INTRUDERS*--

LOOKS LIKE WE'RE IN FOR A REAL FIGHT!

HE SHOUTS THAT WE MUST **ALL** BE SACRIFICED TO APPEASE THE OUTRAGED IDOL! AND THEY ARE **AGREEING!**

TRIP THAT NEAREST GUARD-- I'LL GRAB HIS SPEAR!

THE GROUND! IT'S SHAKING!

YES! SLIGHT EARTHQUAKE-- SOMETIMES FOLLOWS ERUPTIONS--

LOOK!

THE IDOL! IT'S----

THE IDOL HAS SPOKEN! HE HAS CARRIED OUT THE GOLDEN GODDESS' COMMAND!

SAVED BY LADY LOCK!

WITH AN ASSIST BY MOTHER NATURE!